

GUILD AND OTHER DEFENDANTS DENY EXTORTION CHARGES

Defrauded Widow Of Pension

For obtaining HK\$1,600 from the Ministry of Pensions by false pretences, Tsang Kwong-on, a 61-year-old farmer, was sentenced to two years' hard labour by Mr. F. X. d'Almeida at Central yesterday.

He was also recommended for banishment.

S. J. Woodhead said that in 1940, Tsang Ping, a steward on the M.V. Oldfield, was killed when the ship was sunk by enemy action. In 1941 the widow was paid \$1,900 as part compensation and told that more would be paid later.

During the occupation the widow went to Watchow but left with defendant who was a brother of her husband, certain documents with a request that she be informed whenever any money was to be paid.

After the war she wrote several letters to him but received no reply. On her arrival in Hong Kong some time later she made enquiries at the Marine Department and was told that a sum of \$1,600 had been paid to a person who said that he was the son of the dead man.

Police found that the dead man had no son and that the money had been paid to defendant who had brought in another boy to represent the son of the dead man.

S. J. Woodhead requested the Court to take a serious view of the case. The Marine Department are investigating a number of pension cases and an example of defendant would deter others.

BOY'S ARM BITTEN OFF

Peoria, Illinois, June 30.

A 230-pound Himalayan black bear bit off the arm of 12-year-old John Dickerson in the zoo here yesterday.

Young Dickerson climbed over the safety fence to feed the bear some grapes when it grabbed the boy's arm above the elbow and tore it off.

An emergency crew bent and played hoses on the bear for 45 minutes before it would surrender the stump of the arm.—United Press.

Tired feet...
Get a treat...
When they meet



WALK-OVER

Main Spring Arch Shoes

Hidden "shock absorber" of resilient steel, cushioned on rubber at the three weight-bearing points, gives confidential support to tired arches in these smartly styled examples of Walk-Over craftsmanship.

THE SHUI HING CO.

DEPARTMENT STORES

187-188 Des Voeux Road, C.

At yesterday's hearing of the trial of Inspector Peter Oliver Guild of the Hong Kong Police, Tam So, married woman, and Chinese Police Constable Chan Pui-lam, all three accused denied having demanded money with menaces from the keepers of mahjong schools and opium divans.

Tam So claimed that the keepers of these mahjong schools and opium divans had conspired to get her into trouble because she had previously worked for the Japanese and they thought this was wrong.

Guild, with Tam So and Chan Pui-lam, is charged with demanding \$500 from Lo Wun-yung and \$500 from Pun Tai-so. Guild and Tam are jointly charged with demanding \$25 from Lo Wun-yung and \$100 from Chan Nui, while Tam alone is charged on two further counts of demanding \$100 from Wong Sing and \$40 from Lok Su-hung.

The case is being heard before Mr. Justice E. H. Williams (Chief Justice) and a jury of seven men. Guild said he had been in the Police Force for 20 years and was due for retirement and pension next May.

He was interned at Stanley during the occupation. After the liberation, he served in the Police Force for one month before being repatriated.

He returned to Hong Kong in March last and joined a firm later by his wife. They were living in the Cecil Hotel until April this year.

Guild said he often missed his home while living in the hotel, because they were served at fixed times.

Once Reported.

He first knew of the matter of demanding money with menaces on Feb. 10, when at Mr. Shaf-fer's office. He was arrested that morning and the same afternoon was sent to Hospital.

Guild admitted that on occasions he had more drink than he should have consumed. He was once arrested for being under the influence while on duty.

On another occasion, when he took some laundry to relieve his trouble, he collapsed in the house. He was taken to the hospital and remained for two days.

On Feb. 15, he went off duty at midnight. While going down the slope of Central Police Station, he met CSI Wong Sing, who invited him for a drink. While walking along Aberdeen Street, they met Lo Wun-yung and the second accused Tam So. When they reached the Kam Kong Restaurant, the two women entered first and were joined by the third accused, Chan Pui-lam.

Guild said that he only had a small bottle of beer and a bottle of brandy and bottle of beer. Food was ordered, but he did not want to eat. Soon afterwards, he left the party and went home by taxi.

When asked if he had made reference to his bagpipes, earrings and gold tooth at Mr. Shaf-fer, Guild admitted that he had, but explained that his reference was made jokingly.

No Recollection.

Coming to the allegations which had been made that he demanded money from the keepers of mahjong schools and opium divans, Guild said that he had no recollection of these incidents.

He had known the second accused since November last, when she was arrested as a street walker, together with several other girls and brought to the charge room at Central where he was on duty.

He was informed by one of the woman searcher that second accused had refused to be searched. He then went and told second accused that she must be searched. A slight struggle took place and the second accused was wearing at the time was torn.

The next day, when second accused appeared before the Magistrate, she made a complaint that her dress had been torn by the "nine fingered inspector."

Guild said that some three weeks later, while he was walking towards the Charge Room at Central, he saw second accused going to the Court. She told him that she had been arrested and said that she and others had been arrested and were going to Court.

Later, she entered the charge room waving a bundle of \$10 notes at him, saying at the same time that she had only been fined \$10, while the other girls, who had not appeared, had their bail extracted.

Quiet Life.

Guild said that his family life was very quiet. He occasionally went with his wife to restaurants for dinner by way of a change from the hotel fare.

One evening he went to the Hotel Hong Hotel, where a sum of \$45 was spent. That was the most expensive outing. He and his wife had only attended two dances, the St. Andrew's Ball and Reel Club Ball. His wife was earning money as a teacher.

Tam So said that Lo Wun-yung bore a grudge against her as the result of incident which took place at her mahjong school.

Describing the incident, Tam So said that a player at the mahjong school, who was unable to pay a debt of \$12, was stripped of his clothing and beaten up by employees of the school.

Three men were jointly charged before Mr. F. X. d'Almeida at Central yesterday with burglary and three counts of larceny from dwellings in Aberdeen district on May 15.

The men are Wong Sun, 19, Li Bur, 25 and Cheung Yung, 36.

First and second defendants pleaded not guilty, but third defendant admitted the offences and Inspector Moran, who prosecuted, informed the Magistrate that he would accept the pleas of all the defendants.

First and second defendants were accordingly discharged while third defendant received 18 months and a recommendation for banishment.

The burglaries were carried out in Stanley Village and the residences of Miss Griffin, Mr. Peaker and Mr. Cairns and their respective servants' quarters were entered and watches, fountain pens and clothing were stolen.

One Admits Larceny Charge

Three men were jointly charged before Mr. F. X. d'Almeida at Central yesterday with burglary and three counts of larceny from dwellings in Aberdeen district on May 15.

The men are Wong Sun, 19, Li Bur, 25 and Cheung Yung, 36.

First and second defendants pleaded not guilty, but third defendant admitted the offences and Inspector Moran, who prosecuted, informed the Magistrate that he would accept the pleas of all the defendants.

First and second defendants were accordingly discharged while third defendant received 18 months and a recommendation for banishment.

The burglaries were carried out in Stanley Village and the residences of Miss Griffin, Mr. Peaker and Mr. Cairns and their respective servants' quarters were entered and watches, fountain pens and clothing were stolen.

Marked Notes.

Tam So also alleged that there were some 70 to 80 opium divans in the Central District. She said that if she was in fact demanding money from opium divan keepers, she would have approached these other opium divans as well, not only one or two isolated divans.

She said that the \$30 in marked notes found in her possession was part of the change which she had received from Lok Su-hung for a \$50 note. Tam So said she had smoked \$10 worth of opium in Lok's divan and this \$50 was given towards payment.

Lok So also alleged that Lok had requested her to purchase five pieces of Calcutta raw opium, which was very rare in Hong Kong, there being only about ten persons handling the sales.

All the prosecution witnesses, she said, had conspired to get her into trouble because she had previously worked for the Japanese and they thought this was wrong.

Tam So declared that although she did earn her living by being a broker as well as a prostitute, she never at any time stooped to the demanding of money with menaces.

Pui-lam, who admitted being present at the Kam Kong Restaurant, maintained that he knew nothing about the matters with which he was charged. He was entirely innocent.

Hearing will be resumed at 10.15 tomorrow.

Not Guilty Of Murder

At the Criminal Sessions yesterday, a jury of five men and two women found Chan Tam-kam, 30, unemployed, not guilty of murder.

The jury retired twice before they could reach a unanimous verdict.

Chan was formally discharged by Mr. Justice T. J. Gould (Puisne Judge), on the charge of murder, but remained in gaol custody until the next Sessions, when he will be tried on kidnapping and other charges.

The murder with which Chan was charged was alleged to have taken place at the Tai Fung Lime Kiln, Lau Fau Shan Village, Ping Shan in the New Territories, on March 11, when Fung Kil, an employee of the Kiln, was shot dead.

The case for the prosecution was conducted by Mr. J. Reynolds, Crown Counsel, assisted by Det. Insp. P. J. Waldron and Det. Insp. D. H. Taylor.

Mr. V. d'Alton, instructed by Mr. H. Capstick of Messrs. Deacons, was assigned for the defence of Chan by the Crown.

For two months Chan Su-lin, alias YMAA, 3 p.m. was held without a licence. Yesterday he was caught and charged at the Marine Court.

His savings, however, were insufficient to pay a HK\$15 fine. He had only HK\$5.

Result: Chan was sent to prison for three days.

COULD NOT PAY FINE.

For two months Chan Su-lin, alias YMAA, 3 p.m. was held without a licence. Yesterday he was caught and charged at the Marine Court.

His savings, however, were insufficient to pay a HK\$15 fine. He had only HK\$5.

Result: Chan was sent to prison for three days.

COULD NOT PAY FINE.

For two months Chan Su-lin, alias YMAA, 3 p.m. was held without a licence. Yesterday he was caught and charged at the Marine Court.

His savings, however, were insufficient to pay a HK\$15 fine. He had only HK\$5.

New Bills Pass First Reading

In the Legislative Council yesterday the following new bills passed their first reading:

An Ordinance to amend the Emergency Powers (Extension and Amendment) Ordinance 1948 for reviving the Compensation (Defence) Regulations 1940 which had elapsed, and to make modifications to them.

An Ordinance to validate the continuance in office of the six members of the Urban Council, whose term office expired on May 12, 1948. Necessity for the measure, explained the Attorney General, was the departure from the Urban Council before the date mentioned, when appointments would have been made in the normal way.

An Ordinance to amend the Cinematograph Film Ordinance 1923, making better provision for prevention of fire where celluloid and cinematograph films are stored and used, and placing the onus of control on the exhibitor instead of the Commissioner of Police.

An Ordinance to repeal and replace the Legal Practitioners Ordinance 1871, the object of which is to bring in a more comprehensive Ordinance.

The Acting Attorney General explained that the Bill was put up at the request of the Hong Kong Law Society who considered that it provided what Hong Kong requires.

Tenancy Tribunals.

Council also passed the Rules of Procedure (Landlord and Tenant) (Amendment) Rules 1948 made by the Acting Chief Justice on June 7, 1948. They dealt with one-man magistrate Tenancy Tribunals.

An action put forward by the Acting Financial Secretary (Mr. A. G. Clarke) extending the powers of all note-issuing banks to make, issue, re-issue and circulate notes until and including July 12, 1949, was also passed.

The following legislation entered the statute book following passing of the second and third readings:

An Ordinance to amend the Dangerous Goods Ordinance 1873.

An Ordinance to amend the Fraudulent Transfers of Business Ordinance 1923.

An Ordinance to amend the Companies (Reconstruction of Records) Ordinance 1947.

An Ordinance to provide for the re-vesting in the former owners of certain land in the region of Ping Shan resumed during the period of British Military Administration, and for the payment of compensation in certain cases in respect of the user thereof.

This Ordinance provides for return to their owners of land requisitioned under the Defence of the Airports Ordinance 1942 for the use of an airport at Ping Shan, which was subsequently abandoned, and for compensation to those owners whose land had been retained for road-making.

An Ordinance to amend the Dutiable Commodities Ordinance 1931.

For a breach of a condition of his licence, Ho Fuk-lun of Hol-lund Cafe, Wanchai, was fined \$50 by Mr. Hing-shing Lo at the Central Magistracy yesterday.

He was summoned for allowing three non-Asiatics in his cafe on May 10 at 8.50 p.m.

Superintendent T. E. Clunne of the Eastern District told the court that he warned defendant three evenings previously against serving non-Asiatics. The Military service men in plain clothes out of uniform places.

In reply to the Magistrate, Mr. Clunne said that cases in certain areas in Wanchai were not permitted to serve Europeans.

ALLOWED NON-ASIATICS IN CAFE.

For a breach of a condition of his licence, Ho Fuk-lun of Hol-lund Cafe, Wanchai, was fined \$50 by Mr. Hing-shing Lo at the Central Magistracy yesterday.

He was summoned for allowing three non-Asiatics in his cafe on May 10 at 8.50 p.m.

Superintendent T. E. Clunne of the Eastern District told the court that he warned defendant three evenings previously against serving non-Asiatics. The Military service men in plain clothes out of uniform places.

In reply to the Magistrate, Mr. Clunne said that cases in certain areas in Wanchai were not permitted to serve Europeans.

ALLOWED NON-ASIATICS IN CAFE.

For a breach of a condition of his licence, Ho Fuk-lun of Hol-lund Cafe, Wanchai, was fined \$50 by Mr. Hing-shing Lo at the Central Magistracy yesterday.

He was summoned for allowing three non-Asiatics in his cafe on May 10 at 8.50 p.m.

Superintendent T. E. Clunne of the Eastern District told the court that he warned defendant three evenings previously against serving non-Asiatics. The Military service men in plain clothes out of uniform places.

In reply to the Magistrate, Mr. Clunne said that cases in certain areas in Wanchai were not permitted to serve Europeans.



SEQUEL TO DRIVE ON OPIUM DIVANS

Four keepers, 42 smokers, 21 opium pipes, one heroin pipe, 38 lamps, 158 pots of opium, and 1,585 heroin pills were seized by Police parties in the course of an opium-divan drive organised by Chief Inspector J. Johnston and Det. Sgt.-Major Lu Muk in Kowloon on Tuesday.

Arrested by CI Johnston and DSM Lu Muk at 90 Woosung Street, first floor, Yeung Hung (25) was sentenced to four months' hard labour, without the option of a fine, and recommended for banishment by Mr. W. A. Blair-Kerr at Kowloon yesterday. Of the 17 smokers, 16 were fined \$35 each while the other had his bail—of \$50—estimated. Nine pipes, 13 lamps and 28 pots of opium were confiscated.

No Option.

Led by Det. Sgt.-Inspector A. L. Gordon of the Special Branch, a Police party raided 183 Temple Street, second floor, and arrested Chung Chun and nine smokers. They also seized 105 pots of opium, five pipes and seven lamps.

Remanded.

Lo Sing (37), whose divan at 17 Peiho Street, second floor, was raided by Det. Sub-Inspector Morrison, was remanded for a week when he was charged before Mr. Blair-Kerr with keeping an opium and heroin divan, possession of 1,585 heroin pills and 13 pots of opium, and possession of three opium and one heroin pipes.

His seven smokers were fined \$35 each.

Luk Wal-man (25), whose divan occupied the whole of the first floor at 121 Nan Chang Street and which was raided by Chief Inspector F. J. Clarke on June 29, was fined \$1,000 (or six months' hard labour) by Mr. Blair-Kerr yesterday.

Of the 11 smokers arrested, five were fined \$25 each while the other six forfeited their bail of \$35. The eight pipes, 13 lamps and 27 pots of opium were confiscated.

A net profit of HK\$19,773.64 was made last year by the Hong Kong and Canton Ice Manufacturing Company, Limited. At the company's annual general meeting yesterday, it was announced that the net profit had been transferred to the Profit and Loss Account, leaving a debit balance of HK\$19,145.55 in that Account to be carried forward.

The Chairman, Mr. N.O.C. Marsh said in his report for the year that the main item of revenue was rent from the company's property in Shamoon.

He added that in the Profit and Loss Account credit had been taken only for rents for which cash was actually received and while some portion of the \$19,000 in arrears had been collected the amount outstanding had increased considerably in the meantime. Action had already been taken by the Company to recover the arrears of rent.

With regard to items of machinery and plant removed from the Company's premises during the Japanese occupation, certain of these were recovered during the year. The items returned to the Company were a 15-ton Ice Making Compressor and small number of Ice Cans, but these have a value only as scrap.

"The item Investment, \$25,000, represented by Debentures of the Hong Kong Land Investment & Agency Co. Ltd., has been redeemed since the books of the Company were closed," he said.

The indebtedness of the Dairy Farm Company, \$12,734.30, was liquidated by that Company on November 24, 1947, and they have also paid off the amount of \$20,000 represented by Loan at Call in the last published Accounts.

CHOPPER ATTACK.

A quarrel between two pork stall employees at the Ma Tau Wai Road Slaughter House at seven o'clock last night resulted in one of them, Chung Yee, 42, of the Chung Lee Pork Stall, Yau-mat Market, being attacked with a chopper.

In defending himself, Chung received serious cuts on the right arm. He was sent to hospital for treatment.

The assailant escaped.

NOT YET FOUND.

The body of Mr. Victor Macdonald, Assistant United Kingdom Trade Commissioner, who was drowned when he fell overboard from a yacht near Green Island on Sunday afternoon, had not, up to a late hour last night, been recovered.

Had It.

Sir—Well, men who chase the elusive minerals I presume you have all received your bit of paper from Government "re-grating" that a Licence cannot be granted at present and that it may be possible to reopen the question about April next year. The word "may" is in your great deal of money, spent in the time and money and more so, disclosing the locality and type of mineral present in your application. You all know that new Mining Ordinances became Law on 22nd January 1948. You told yourselves "at last the Mining Monopoly of the Colony is finished, now we can do something. You all know now that a great deal of time was spent in drawing up the Ordinance, a great deal of money, spent in having it printed with the result that heaps of printed paper now lies in Government's records, more or less forgotten. Believe me, where an Ordinance is written more than the paper it is written on, it is a pity that this land of mine will decide to have "had it" this section of the morgue collection.

Correspondence.

Had It.

Sir—Well, men who chase the elusive minerals I presume you have all received your bit of paper from Government "re-grating" that a Licence cannot be granted at present and that it may be possible to reopen the question about April next year. The word "may" is in your great deal of money, spent in the time and money and more so, disclosing the locality and type of mineral present in your application. You all know that new Mining Ordinances became Law on 22nd January 1948. You told yourselves "at last the Mining Monopoly of the Colony is finished, now we can do something. You all know now that a great deal of time was spent in drawing up the Ordinance, a great deal of money, spent in having it printed with the result that heaps of printed paper now lies in Government's records, more or less forgotten. Believe me, where an Ordinance is written more than the paper it is written on, it is a pity that this land of mine will decide to have "had it" this section of the morgue collection.

Correspondence.

Had It.

Sir—Well, men who chase the elusive minerals I presume you have all received your bit of paper from Government "re-grating" that a Licence cannot be granted at present and that it may be possible to reopen the question about April next year. The word "may" is in your great deal of money, spent in the time and money and more so, disclosing the locality and type of mineral present in your application. You all know that new Mining Ordinances became Law on 22nd January 1948. You told yourselves "at last the Mining Monopoly of the Colony is finished, now we can do something. You all know now that a great deal of time was spent in drawing up the Ordinance, a great deal of money, spent in having it printed with the result that heaps of printed paper now lies in Government's records, more or less forgotten. Believe me, where an Ordinance is written more than the paper it is written on, it is a pity that this land of mine will decide to have "had it" this section of the morgue collection.

Correspondence.

Had It.

Sir—Well, men who chase the elusive minerals I presume you have all received your bit of paper from Government "re-grating" that a Licence cannot be granted at present and that it may be possible to reopen the question about April next year. The word "may" is in your great deal of money, spent in the time and money and more so, disclosing the locality and type of mineral present in your application. You all know that new Mining Ordinances became Law on 22nd January 1948. You told yourselves "at last the Mining Monopoly of the Colony is finished, now we can do something. You all know now that a great deal of time was spent in drawing up the Ordinance, a great deal of money, spent in having it printed with the result that heaps of printed paper now lies in Government's records, more or less forgotten. Believe me, where an Ordinance is written more than the paper it is written on, it is a pity that this land of mine will decide to have "had it" this section of the morgue collection.

Correspondence.

Had It.

Sir—Well, men who chase the elusive minerals I presume you have all received your bit of paper from Government "re-grating" that a Licence cannot be granted at present and that it may be possible to reopen the question about April next year. The word "may" is in your great deal of money, spent in the time and money and more so, disclosing the locality and type of mineral present in your application. You all know that new Mining Ordinances became Law on 22nd January 1948. You told yourselves "at last the Mining Monopoly of the Colony is finished, now we can do something. You all know now that a great deal of time was spent in drawing up the Ordinance, a great deal of money, spent in having it printed with the result that heaps of printed paper now lies in Government's records, more or less forgotten. Believe me, where an Ordinance is written more than the paper it is written on, it is a pity that this land of mine will decide to have "had it" this section of the morgue collection.

Correspondence.



WARTIME LAND SALES

The Land Transactions (Enemy Occupation) Ordinance 1948, giving effect to voluntary land transactions during the Japanese occupation passed through its first reading in Legislative Council yesterday.

It empowers the purchaser or his successor in title to call upon the vendor for an assignment, to be made in the normal form in use in the Colony.

The Acting Attorney General (Mr. G. E. Strickland) introduced the Bill, said the Japanese regarded all land in the Colony as belonging to the Crown and all structures erected on it as belonging to the Crown Lessee.

They instituted not a Land Office but a House Registration Office where registrations of assignments were made, but the form used was not operative as it was not under seal and was based on the wrong conception regarding ownership of land.

Upon the reoccupation of the Colony the Land Office Registrar which were recovered contained no record of transactions during the occupation, and a method had accordingly to be adopted to put purchasers on guard against suspicious transactions. This method consisted of putting all transactions in our own registers in green colour ink.

The Bill before Council treats these green-ink entries as actual notice to a purchaser for a period of two years, during which of which purchaser and vendor will be able to determine their rights; and if any of the occupation transactions are successfully challenged they will be deleted or modified.

As a result of the Debtor and Creditor Ordinance which has become law, creditors become entitled in certain cases to have their securities restored. Where the security was a mortgage of land, this will entail a deletion of the green-ink entry which the disbanding of the mortgage.

The motion was seconded by the Colonial Secretary (Mr. D.M. MacDougall) and carried unanimously.

HK Mines Need Capital.

The Hong Kong Mines, Limited, is in need of machinery and fresh capital. At the company's annual meeting yesterday it was announced that the Board of Directors was in the market to consider proposals for raising capital in order to carry out its mining operations in lead mining.

The 1947 activities of the company were confined to preserving property and equipment which had survived the Japanese occupation.

About 100 tons of lead concentrates, left over from Japanese working, was sold in the London market. The profit made, however, dwindled to HK\$1,405.40 after payment of all 1947 upkeep. This small profit has been applied to the company's losses of HK\$968,208.03 brought forward from 1946.

Mr. R. A. Wadson, acting in the absence of the Chairman, Mr. Geo. T. Scholey, disclosed that possibilities had been explored of letting the mine either on an operating or royalty basis. Discussions with interested parties during the year, however, failed to achieve any results.

Kai Tak Conversion Ordinance.

When the Japanese occupied the Colony they forcibly took over from owners some 1,638 lots of land at Kai Tak some with buildings thereon, for the purpose of extending their airfield.

When the Colony was re-occupied the British Military Administration continued to make use of the airfield and such use is to continue until a new airfield is constructed.

The Japanese paid some compensation for houses, but none for agricultural lots, which they regarded as belonging to the Government.

The Airfield (Kai Tak) Extension and Reversion Ordinance 1948, which passed its first reading in Legislative Council yesterday, provides for disposal of compensation and house-owners, whose property is regarded as having been resumed as on September 1, 1946.

A plan is being prepared of the various lots which shall be graded and specified, and the value will be determined by the Government Valuation and Resumption Officer. Compensation will be based on the value of the land, if sold in the open market on September 1, 1946.

The Bill made no provision for allocation of land in lieu of cash payment, but such proposal will not be unacceptable to Government, where such exchange is practicable.

Four Charged With 'Van Heutsz' Piracy

Piracy on the high seas by armed masked men while a ship was going full speed for the rocks, was the story told by Dr. Guan Yong-on, ship's surgeon, to Mr. W. H. Latimer at Kowloon yesterday.

Dr. Guan was testifying in the Committal proceedings against Ling Cheuk-wa (40), Keung Kin-chung alias Lui Piu (45), Ling Chan-kai alias Ling Chung (29), and Chan Chung-nam alias Chan Chik (36) on the charge of piracy on the high seas on Dec. 14, 1947.

The men were alleged to have "assaulted and put in fear of their lives, Captain Klaas Albert Vliet, other officers, the crew and certain passengers of the Dutch motor vessel 'Van Heutsz' and stole from the Master the ship's motor-boat, seven revolvers, six pistols, five rifles, two sub-machine guns, and 3,160 rounds of ammunition, and from Vliet HK\$675, Straits \$175, 350 Dutch guilders and a raincoat.

They were further alleged to have stolen from A. van der Meulan an "Omega" wrist-watch, a pair of binoculars and a fountain pen, and an European-styled suit from Cheng Tim-wee.

Mr. L. R. Whant, Assistant Director of Criminal Intelligence (Kowloon), assisted by Det. Inspector E. Franklin and Det. Sub-Inspector C. Pope, prosecuted, while Mr. A. J. Clifford, instructed by Mr. C. A. Sutherland Rusk, appeared for the second accused.

The charge of unlawful imprisonment of Chan Kuet-cheung against Lui Sang-yun (37), Fung Yau-ai alias Fung Tai, and Lui Kwai-fan, Hoklo boatmen, was withdrawn from the prosecution.

Dr. Guan said that shortly after 4 p.m. on Dec. 14 last his "boy" opened the door of his cabin and "secretly" informed him by signs that armed men were on board. Shortly afterwards there were loud bangings on his door but witness kept quiet and did not answer. This was repeated at 9 p.m. and 11 p.m. "My boy" then informed him that the second engineer was in a quivering voice, "Doctor, open the door. Some friends want to see you."

"Boys' Plea" Witness stated that when he heard his "boy" calling out, "Open the door at once," he did not answer and was met by two men, one of whom was masked, who entered his cabin and took away HK\$100, 10 tins of "Gold Flake" cigarettes, and a playing card.

When the younger of the two wanted to take away his playing card, the older one then told him to leave it alone. "Please, leave it alone." That one he identified as the second accused.

Captain K. A. Vliet, the first witness called by the prosecution, said that on Dec. 14, 1947, he was having his tea the third officer entered his cabin and asked for the revolvers to be issued to the other officers. This, added witness, was the usual practice, as arms are issued to officers when the ship had left Hong Kong waters.

While he was doing so he heard a lot of shouting on the bridge and, on looking through the port-hole, saw the fourth officer with his hands up and a man pointing a revolver at him. He also saw two Chinese running towards his cabin.

On entering the cabin the two men, one of whom was masked with a handkerchief, asked for the ship's revolvers. Although he could not understand what they were saying he was able to gather from their gestures what they wanted, said witness.

The pirates then took up the three revolvers which were lying on the floor next to the safe but ignored a box containing revolvers nearby. They then took him out of the cabin to the port side of the bridge deck where, on a corridor, the other officers were murdered and guarded by an armed pirate.

Alfred Course He was later brought back to the bridge and made to sit down for about half an hour when, feeling cold, he was escorted back to his own cabin at the request of the "Quarter-master." In the cabin he saw two men appraising a lot of money and jewellery contained in a basin. When they

he was then brought to the third officer's cabin where he was kept until 4 a.m. when he was again brought to the bridge and ordered to move the ship to a more sheltered spot as the weather was becoming rough.

As he was steering the ship to Hong Hai Bay he was told by the pirate head that "if you wreck the ship all of you will be shot." Half an hour later they sighted a ship coming from the direction of Hong Kong wharves, the pirates "got very panicky" and ordered all the ship's lights to be put out.

In total darkness the ship was moved further into the Bay where they met some fishing junks coming out. Witness was instructed to head the junks off Tseich Point and succeeded in "cornering" two junks which were fired upon by the pirates and instructed to go alongside the ship.

About 6 a.m. the ship again dropped anchor and the ship's crew ordered to load the loot into the two junks and to lower one of the ship's lifeboats. The Chief Officer, witness, five sailors and the barboy used as an interpreter, were forced into the lifeboat which was taken in tow by one of the junks.

While the pirates were leaving the ship, said witness, he counted 19 of them, while another member of the crew counted six or another junk. He also saw six of the cabin passengers being taken off the ship and forced into a junk.

On the junk which was towing the lifeboat was painted the figures 66 with another Chinese character. Fourth defendant sat at the stern of that junk with a rifle pointing at them, declared witness.

Half way between the ship and shore, continued Capt. Vliet, the towing rope was cut and he was told that he could row back to

St John's Cathedral Wedding



CHINA MAIL PHOTO

Miss Olga Joyce Rigby was married to Captain W. E. Kierman formerly of the Royal Ulster Rifles, at St. John's Cathedral yesterday afternoon.

The bride, who was given away by Mr. Ken Forrow, wore a long white satin gown with a draped skirt and long train. Her veil was held in place by a coronet of orange blossoms. She carried a bouquet of tuberoses.

The bride was attended by two friends, Misses T. Schwed and J. MacKenzie who wore blue and pink crepe de chine respectively. They wore headpieces to match and carried bouquets of pink gladioli.

Mrs. C. Forrow acted as Matron of Honour and wore a white shirtingsuit with white accessories.

Duties of bestman were discharged by Mr. B. Fiedelstad. After the reception, held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Forrow, the newly-weds left for their honeymoon which is to be spent at the Regency Hotel.

The bride wore a long white gown with a draped skirt and long train. Her veil was held in place by a coronet of orange blossoms. She carried a bouquet of tuberoses.

The bride was attended by two friends, Misses T. Schwed and J. MacKenzie who wore blue and pink crepe de chine respectively. They wore headpieces to match and carried bouquets of pink gladioli.

Mrs. C. Forrow acted as Matron of Honour and wore a white shirtingsuit with white accessories.

Duties of bestman were discharged by Mr. B. Fiedelstad. After the reception, held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Forrow, the newly-weds left for their honeymoon which is to be spent at the Regency Hotel.

The bride wore a long white gown with a draped skirt and long train. Her veil was held in place by a coronet of orange blossoms. She carried a bouquet of tuberoses.

The bride was attended by two friends, Misses T. Schwed and J. MacKenzie who wore blue and pink crepe de chine respectively. They wore headpieces to match and carried bouquets of pink gladioli.

Mrs. C. Forrow acted as Matron of Honour and wore a white shirtingsuit with white accessories.

Duties of bestman were discharged by Mr. B. Fiedelstad. After the reception, held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Forrow, the newly-weds left for their honeymoon which is to be spent at the Regency Hotel.

The bride wore a long white gown with a draped skirt and long train. Her veil was held in place by a coronet of orange blossoms. She carried a bouquet of tuberoses.

The bride was attended by two friends, Misses T. Schwed and J. MacKenzie who wore blue and pink crepe de chine respectively. They wore headpieces to match and carried bouquets of pink gladioli.

Mrs. C. Forrow acted as Matron of Honour and wore a white shirtingsuit with white accessories.

Duties of bestman were discharged by Mr. B. Fiedelstad. After the reception, held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Forrow, the newly-weds left for their honeymoon which is to be spent at the Regency Hotel.

The bride wore a long white gown with a draped skirt and long train. Her veil was held in place by a coronet of orange blossoms. She carried a bouquet of tuberoses.

The bride was attended by two friends, Misses T. Schwed and J. MacKenzie who wore blue and pink crepe de chine respectively. They wore headpieces to match and carried bouquets of pink gladioli.

Mrs. C. Forrow acted as Matron of Honour and wore a white shirtingsuit with white accessories.

Duties of bestman were discharged by Mr. B. Fiedelstad. After the reception, held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Forrow, the newly-weds left for their honeymoon which is to be spent at the Regency Hotel.

The bride wore a long white gown with a draped skirt and long train. Her veil was held in place by a coronet of orange blossoms. She carried a bouquet of tuberoses.

The bride was attended by two friends, Misses T. Schwed and J. MacKenzie who wore blue and pink crepe de chine respectively. They wore headpieces to match and carried bouquets of pink gladioli.

Mrs. C. Forrow acted as Matron of Honour and wore a white shirtingsuit with white accessories.

Duties of bestman were discharged by Mr. B. Fiedelstad. After the reception, held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Forrow, the newly-weds left for their honeymoon which is to be spent at the Regency Hotel.

The bride wore a long white gown with a draped skirt and long train. Her veil was held in place by a coronet of orange blossoms. She carried a bouquet of tuberoses.

ENCOURAGE MINING, GEOLOGIST SAYS

Dr. F. Dixey, geologist adviser to the Colonial Office, has recommended that the Hong Kong Government obtain the services of an experienced geologist from a well-established Geological Survey to determine the extent and importance of the Colony's mineral deposits.

Dr. Dixey who passed through Hong Kong recently on his way to Sandakan, examined files in Hong Kong and spent two days in the New Territories (accompanied by Dr. S. G. Lavis) inspecting some of the geological, mining and water-supply problems there. He also had discussions with the Director of Public Works, Mr. V. Kenniff, his Water Engineer staff, and the District Officer.

In his report, released yesterday, Dr. Dixey said that he agreed with the Interim Mining Policy Committee that an "Inspector of Mines and appropriate subordinate staff should be appointed at the earliest possible date and attached to the Public Works or other suitable Department."

Dr. Dixey's report concluded: "Applications to mine various minerals (wolfram, galena, ochre, China clay) have long been outstanding. Applications have recently been informed that their requests cannot at present be granted, but that it may be possible to re-open the question in about April, 1949."

"It is important that legitimate mining should be actively encouraged and that early steps be taken to enable this development to proceed."

HKVDC ORDERS Orders by Colonel L. T. Rids, C.B.E., D.S.O., Commandant, Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps, followed by the following: Lieutenant Colonel H. Owen-Hughes, O.B.E., E.D., assumed command of the Corps with effect from July 1, 1948—vice Colonel L. T. Rids, C.B.E., D.S.O., who retired to the United Kingdom on duty.

DUTIES—OFFICERS: Major F. G. Stewart, D.S.O., E.D., appointed second-in-command of the Corps with effect from July 1, 1948—vice Lieutenant Colonel H. Owen-Hughes, O.B.E., E.D., who retired to the United Kingdom on duty.

WAR SALARIES: Applications from personnel who fought overseas and qualified under the terms of the announcement on the award of ex-gratia grants to H.K.V.D.C. published in the British and Chinese newspapers on Sunday, June 13 and Monday, June 14 will submit their claims to the Adjutant.

COURSE: The Course for R.Q.M.E. and C.Q.M.E. will be held on Tuesday, July 6, 1948 at 1748 hrs. in the lecture room at Corps H.Q.

HISTORICAL COMMITTEE: The next meeting of the Historical Committee will be held at Corps Headquarters at 1748 hrs. on Thursday, July 8, 1948.

DEFENCE MEDALS: Officers of the Corps and Volunteers who are qualified and who have not yet received the medal of application for the Defence Medal, should apply to the Quartermaster without delay.

CANTEEN: The Canteen at Corps Headquarters will be closed until further notice.

HOLIDAY: H.K.V.D.C. Headquarters, Lower Albert Road, will be closed on Thursday, July 1, 1948.

On the application of Inspector J. Orem, Lal Tai-kan was recommended for three days' leave by Mr. A. Blair-Kerr at Kowloon.

On the charge of possession of stolen goods, 118 forged 10-cent notes at Shanghai Street on June 28.

The franchise for the three main cross-harbour services expired on June 11, 1948. In the past year the Directors have been in close contact with a Committee set up by Government to consider the outstanding questions, including that of a new franchise.

The Committee has forwarded its recommendations to Government and the Directors have been informed that a letter from Government may be expected shortly.

It is felt that the new franchise will be a much closer co-operation between the company and the Government and benefit the general public by way of better accommodation, on the ferry, improved facilities, better lighting, better traffic arrangements and better services all round.

Building Cost The position in respect of construction of both large vessels and small is very difficult. The cost of building a ferry boat, such as one of the vehicular ferries, is in the neighbourhood of about \$3,000,000, whilst that of one of the larger types of cable-operated passenger ferries fitted with diesel engine is about \$1,200,000.

Mr. Lau added that as it will be necessary to raise money to finance projected modernisation, and as there is the possibility of further expenditure on the new franchise is granted, it is proposed to raise the capital from HK\$1,000,000 to HK\$5,000,000. The Directors propose to issue 84,000 new shares which will be offered at par—\$10 a share—to the shareholders of the books of the Company on June 30, 1948, in the proportion of one share for every share held.

A special resolution to increase the capital of the Company to HK\$5,000,000 by the creation of 400,000 ordinary shares of HK\$10 each was passed at an extraordinary meeting of shareholders.

TRAMS HELD UP A collision between tram No. 47 and taxi No. 4041 at the Shanghai Tariff Co. outside the Central Market at 4:30 p.m. yesterday resulted in the eastbound tram service being held up for half an hour.

The tram and taxi were only slightly damaged.

The tram and taxi were only slightly damaged.

The tram and taxi were only slightly damaged.

The tram and taxi were only slightly damaged.

The tram and taxi were only slightly damaged.

The tram and taxi were only slightly damaged.

The tram and taxi were only slightly damaged.

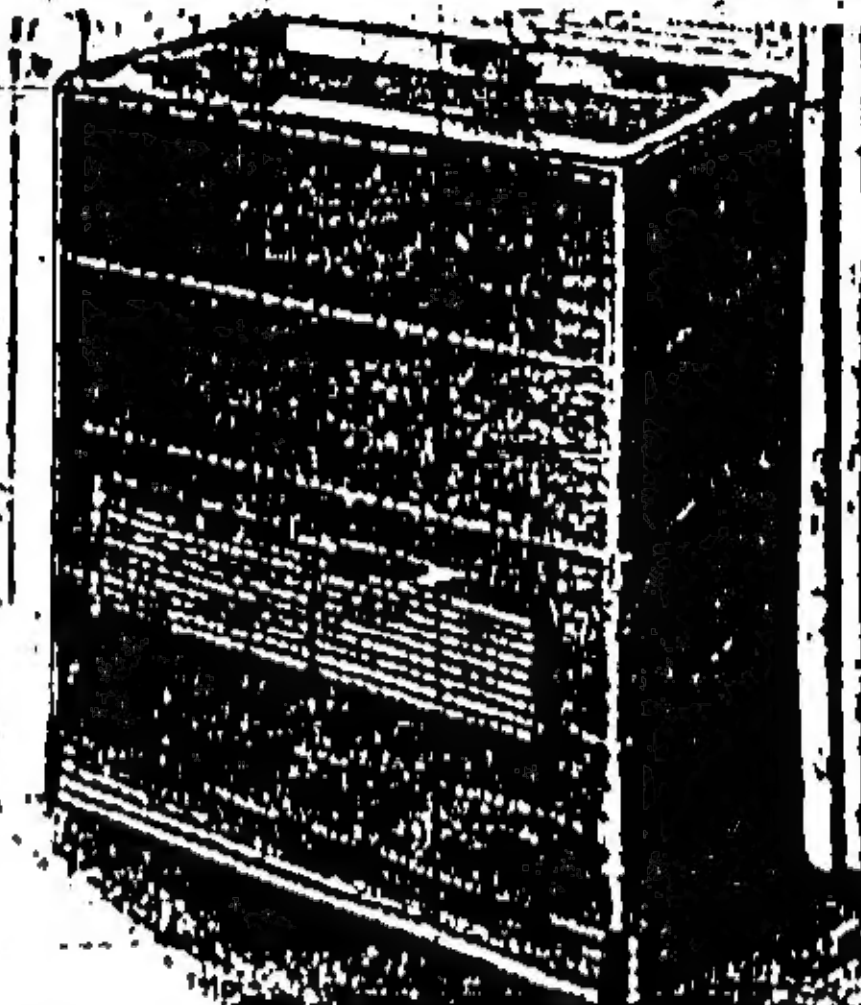
The tram and taxi were only slightly damaged.

The tram and taxi were only slightly damaged.

For Health's Sake Instal a

Carrier

NEW ROOM AIR CONDITIONER



IDEAL FOR BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL OFFICES, BEDROOMS AND LIVING ROOMS.

A MACHINE BACKED BY OVER 40 YEARS AIR CONDITIONING EXPERIENCE.

OUR AMERICAN FACTORY ENGINEER IS HERE TO HELP AND ADVISE YOU.

Sole Agents GRAY BROTHERS

Windsor House, Hong Kong Tels. 31201/2/3 AFB23.

Personalia

Sir Man-kam and Lady Lo were guests of honour yesterday evening at a cocktail party given by the Chairman and members of the Chinese Chamber of Commerce.

Arrivals from Bangkok yesterday by CPA were Mr. and Mrs. M. K. Nashold, A. Brown, M. Blackmore, Mrs. Tan Lee-niu, Mrs. T. C. Seng, Lee Tom-horn, Wong Tjie, Dr. Fung Kam-tai, Tan Hung-kuang, and Hong Chin-kuang.

Arrivals at the Peninsula Hotel on Tuesday included Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Clark, Miss Mattie Lee Burt, Mr. and Mrs. E. Zibicki, Messrs. Irving Ross, A. M. McLeod, B. A. Brooks, A. E. Hughes, and Z. V. Chu.

Departures from the Peninsula Hotel on Tuesday were Mr. and Mrs. Jose Tiong, Miss Ann Khoo, Miss M. Anderson, Messrs. J. A. Zuckerman, D. J. C. Stewart, J. M. Cassaway, I. Leibovitch, Reid Jorgensen and J. B. McCubbin.

Dr. D. W. Gould, Government Medical Officer, who is leaving the Government service to take up an appointment as Lecturer at the Hong Kong University, was last night presented by members of the Hong Kong Police Force with an electric gramophone and clock.

The presentation, which took place at the Police Canteen, was made by Inspector Frank Penfold, who paid tribute to the fine work which had been done by Dr. Gould for members of the Force.

Miss Jeanette Elmes, Miss Claire Liston, Mr. Wellington Koo, Messrs. J. J. Alvarez, M. L. Casey, M. Ramchandani, and Francisco Rojas and Mrs. Huang C. de Bona were among the passengers who left for Manila by CPA on Monday.

Arrivals from Manila on Tuesday by CPA were Miss Patricia Ting, Messrs. Chea Say, Ong Sou-chin, Chua Theng, and Chan Lit.



Baby's Days are Quaker Days

WHOLE-GRAIN OATS ARE NATURE'S IDEAL FOOD FOR BABY

Nature's ideal food—Quaker Oats—is the best natural cereal source of food, iron, protein, food energy, and Vitamin B₁, elements that provide strength for growth, help guard baby's health. Give your baby the nourishing help of Quaker Oats feedings every day.

Quaker OATS

Install on Genuine Quaker Oats. Look for the Quaker Figure on every tin.



NEW ATTRACTIONS!!!

AT THE

LAICHIKOK AMUSEMENT PARK

OPEN TO-DAY

- 18 HOLE GOLF COURSE!!
- CHILDREN'S PARADISE!!!

THERE'S LOADS OF FUN—FOR OLD & YOUNG

SWIMMING, BOATING, WATER-CYCLING, SEA HORSES, ROLLER SKATING FUN GAMES

EXCELLENT REFRESHMENT FACILITIES PROVIDED BY THE DAIRY FARM

DELICIOUS CHINESE FOOD SUPPLIED BY LEADING CHINESE RESTAURANTS

FUN FOR ALL—ALL FOR FUN!

FOR INEXPENSIVE TOP-RATE ENJOYMENT

COME TO THE LAICHIKOK AMUSEMENT PARK

RIP KIRBY



BY ALEX RAYMOND

TRAMS HELD UP

A collision between tram No. 47 and taxi No. 4041 at the Shanghai Tariff Co. outside the Central Market at 4:30 p.m. yesterday resulted in the eastbound tram service being held up for half an hour.

The tram and taxi were only slightly damaged.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

20 WORDS \$2 FOR ONE
INSERTION PREPAID. \$1
FOR EACH ADDITIONAL
INSERTION. ADDITIONAL
WORDS 10 CTS. PER WORD
PER INSERTION.

\$2

POSITIONS VACANT

WANTED—Ceramic engineer. Must be specialized in Continuous Kiln. Excellent prospects. When apply, state nationality, education and previous experience to P.O. Box 1437.

WANTED: Immediate engagement experienced British Import Export executive for well known British firm. Salary or commission or both. Apply in writing stating required terms Box No. 450 "China Mail."

WANTED:—An English speaking Chinese lady as a Theatre Ticket Seller in booking office. Apply Box No. 455, "China Mail."

WANTED KNOWN

ONLY thing better than a bottle of Red Tower Brand Lager is two bottles. The more you get together the happier you'll be.

RECOMMEND imported gowns and large selection of locally made dresses 503, Victoria House, 7, Wyndham Street. Open Daily.

CARPETS & RUGS.—Genuine Persian and Tientsin, lovely designs and colourings, various sizes. Come and inspect at The China Rug Co., Kowloon Building, 4th Floor (Opposite Hong Kong Hotel). Queen's Road, C.

NEWLY ARRIVED Underwood Typewriters, standard and portable, finest typewriter ribbons and carbon papers, obtainable at The World Typewriter Co., 46, Wellington Street, Hong Kong. Tel. 20509.

FOR YOUR BREAKFAST Tiffin: Afternoon Tea & Dinner. You are welcome. Prompt Service. Airy and Quiet. Try Cafe de Luxe, China Emporium Mezzanine Floor Tel. 25428.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

MAY BE BOOKED AT THE SWINDON BOOK STORE, 25 Nathan Road, Tel. 59327

LEADING Hongkong Factory, manufacturing Mens' Plastic Elasticated Belts of various colours/designs. Also Braces (suspenders) and Watch-straps desire inquiries from Local Export Firms. Competitive Quotations. G.P.O. Box 415.

DANCING LESSONS

MODERN BALLROOM DANCING—"Made Easy". Beginner's Rapid Course. Advanced Courses. "TAP DANCING" LESSONS. (Enquiries—1-3 P.M.)—TONY HUDSON, 512, China Building.

FOR SALE

TAMARA MAY, 503 Peninsula Hotel Holding SUMMER SALE until 7th July 20% discount off all dresses etc.

FOR SALE—Steel Desk and Steel Cabinet. Apply Room 219, Prince's Building.

FOR SALE—A.W.A. Radios with or without automatic changers. Price very reasonable. Apply: Room 219, Prince's Building.

PILOT RADIOS: Same reliable prewar quality now obtainable at popular prices, made possible only by increased demand and large sales. Allwave sets from \$240 each obtainable at all the better dealers or direct from: Colonial Agencies, Tackoochoy Bldg., 14 Queen's Road. Phone 26310.

SPECIALITY—Orders accepted for Parcel Post-Fine hard Chocolate in well soldered tins 3 to 10 lbs. to any address at lowest wholesale prices. We take care of packing and forwarding without extra cost. Alex Chocolate Co. King's Building, 3rd floor (opposite Star Ferry). Tel. 32014.

HONGKONG & DIRECTORY (1948 Edition)—Containing Hong List, Government Offices, Hospitals, Schools, Churches, Consulates, Services, Clubs, Agencies, Who's Who, and Residences. All information complete to March 31, 1948. On sale at all leading Book Shops and "China Mail" Office.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

It is hereby notified that the following Sale of Crown Land by Public Auction will be held at the Office of the Public Works Department on Monday, the 6th day of July, 1948 at 3 p.m.

Sale Conditions may be obtained and sale plan inspected at the Office of the Superintendent of Crown Lands and Surveys, Lower Albert Road, Hong Kong.

PARTICULARS OF THE LOT:

No. of Sale	Registry No.	Location	Boundaries	Area in sq. ft.	Annual Rental	Upset Price
1	New Kowloon Island Lot No. 3520	Lung Kong Road, Kowloon City.	As per sale plan (Area coloured red)	2,800 (about)	\$78.00	\$14,000.00

Immediately after the fall of the hammer the purchaser shall according to the Conditions of Sale pay to the Auctioneer a sum of \$2,000.00 in cash or by cheque which shall be certified by the Bank on which it is drawn. The Bank must be a member of the Exchange Bank Association.

V. KENNIFF,

Director of Public Works.

Date: 29th June, 1948.

LAMMERT BROS.

Auctioneers, Surveyors and Appraisers.
Pedder Building.
Telephone No. 10234.

PUBLIC AUCTION

The Undersigned have received instructions to sell by Public Auction on

Friday, the 2nd July, 1948 commencing at 2.30 p.m.

at their Sales Rooms, No. 35 Hankow Road, Kowloon. A fine collection of Valuable Household Furniture comprising:—

1 Indian Carpet 9' x 12'; 3 Ice Chests, 1 Teak Wine Cabinet, 1 Ever-Ready Portable Battery Radio, 2 Filters, Single Couch Bed with Extra Mattress, Armchairs, Child's Push Car, Single Boxspring Mattresses, Wardrobes, Low Boys, Dressing Tables, Single & Double Beds, Red Side Tables, Extension Dining Tables, Sideboards, Glass Cabinets, Chairs, Office Desks, Book Cases, Odd Chairs, Cutlery, Tea Sets, Chest of Drawers, Divans, Chesterfield Suites, Meat Safe, Kitchen Tables, Desk Fans, Garden Chairs, Bunk Single Iron Bed, and Blackwood Furniture, Etc., Etc.

On View from Thursday, the 1st July, 1948.

Terms: As Customary.
LAMMERT BROS., Auctioneers.

HONG KONG TRAMWAYS LTD.

MONTHLY TICKETS

Monthly Ticket holders can travel on any tramcar and on any route during the month of issue; there are no restrictions on the number of journeys taken.

Tickets for the month of July may be obtained, as follows:—

New tickets for passengers not holding a ticket for the present month can be obtained only at the Traffic Office, Canal Road East, on and after 30th June.

Existing tickets can be renewed at the Traffic Office, Canal Road East, on the 25th, 26th and 27th June and from 2nd July.

Tickets may also be renewed at Queen's Building, Connaught Road, Entrance, near Star Ferry, on 28th, 29th, 30th June and 1st July.

V. WALKER

Acting-General Manager
25th June, 1948.

REMOVAL NOTICE

On and after July 1st our Offices will be located at SOUTH CHINA MORNING POST BUILDING 3rd Floor

TELEPHONE NUMBER 26062

HONG KONG BUILDING SERVICE

HONG KONG & FAR EAST BUILDER

Proprietor
Henry Gray

Sales Manager
Geoffrey Falconer

HONG KONG POLICE

NOTICE.

DANGER

1. The military authorities will explode a dangerous magazine at Lyemun at 10.30 a.m. on Friday, 2nd July, 1948 (i.e. old calendar 20th day of 5th moon).

2. All persons within 500 yards of the magazine must entirely evacuate the area between 09.45 a.m. and until permitted to re-enter by Police.

3. The danger area includes all that part of Lyemun Station, Kung Am Point, Pak Sha Wan and Lyemun Barracks. It includes the whole village of Ah Kung Ngam.

4. At 09.45 a.m. Talkoo Dockyard will sound one long warning signal on the dockyard siren. The area within 500 yards of the magazine must be evacuated by this signal.

5. Persons living within the danger area are advised to remove all valuable moveable property to avoid loss or damage during the period of evacuation.

6. At 10.27 a.m. Talkoo Dockyard siren will commence to sound a long fluctuating signal lasting until 10.30 a.m. when the explosion will take place.

7. This is the final urgent signal for all persons within one mile of Lyemun to take immediate cover from falling stones. This includes all that part of Shaikwan between Talkoo Dockyard and the old Police Station, Sai Wan Bay and Sam Ka Tsun.

8. As there may be more than one explosion, people within one mile must remain under cover until permitted by Police on duty to move about.

9. Orders given by Police are for the sole purpose of preventing injury to life and limb and must be obeyed.

10. TRAFFIC.—The main road between the east wall of Talkoo Dockyard and Tai Tam Gap will be closed to traffic from 9.45 a.m. until the All Clear is given by Police. This is anticipated not earlier than 11.00 a.m., and may be extended according to advice from the Military authorities.

11. SHIPPING AND AIRCRAFT.—See separate notices to Mariners and Aircraft issued by Director of Marine and Director of Air Services.

COMMISSIONER OF POLICE.
18.6.48.

MARINE DEPARTMENT

NOTICE.

Shipping Interests are hereby informed that the Crane Ship "Selsyu Maru" will be handed back to the Naval Authorities on the 31st July, 1948, and after that date will no longer be available for hire from Government.

J. JOLLY,

Director of Marine.
Marine Office,
Hong Kong, 30th June, 1948.

MALAYAN HIGH COMMISSIONER TO BE RELIEVED OF POSITION

British Jets Still Ahead

Washington, June 29.

Piston and jet engines which power Russian planes are five years behind those of America and Britain, according to Paul H. Wilkinson, editor of Aircraft Engines of the World.

The 1948 edition of the authoritative book said Russia's jet engines were mostly copies of captured German models and it gave complete details and illustrations.

It said the latest piston-type engine in production in Russia was a 2,200-hp copy of the Wright Cyclones which powered Superfortresses interned in the Soviet Union during the war.

Wilkinson said the United States was still "slightly behind" Britain in jet engine development.

He pointed out that jet engines under development in the United States now were due to have a thrust rating of 8,000 pounds, the highest rating mentioned in the book for any of the eight countries now making jet engines.

A pound of thrust equals one horsepower at 375 miles per hour, and at double that speed would equal two horsepower.—United Press.

GUERILLAS TAKE PAHANG TOWN

London, June 29.

An authoritative Whitehall source disclosed tonight that the British Government has decided to relieve Sir Edward Gont of his post as High Commissioner for the riot-swept Federation of Malaya.

Sir Edward is now on his way back to London from the British Colony in the Far East, which has been swept recently by a campaign of organised violence that the British blame on Communists.

He is due back in London on Friday night. The Colonial Office announced that he was returning to Britain for "consultations."

Asked today whether Sir Edward would be returning to Malaya, a Colonial Office spokesman said briefly that he had "no comment" to make.

The Whitehall source, however, said the question of a successor is already being studied.

Sir Alec Newbould, Chief Secretary of the Malayan Administration, is acting as Governor until a new man is appointed, the source said.

Town Captured

Meanwhile two guerrilla bands, striking from the Malayan jungle, captured the town of Jerantut in Pahang State on Monday night.

The rubbers set fire to the police station, then withdrew with at least five hostages including a police officer, after shooting up the town, 250 miles north of Singapore.

Reports said the bands invaded the police station and engaged in a pitched battle with the police. The police finally capitulated when they ran out of ammunition.

More than 40 persons have been killed in two months of violence which British authorities blame on the Communists.—Associated Press.

SCANDINAVIAN DEFENCE QUESTIONS

Stockholm, June 29.

In view of the international tension, a joint Scandinavian investigation of practical military questions seemed to the Swedish Government desirable, the Swedish Foreign Minister, M. Osten Unden, said in the Riksdag today.

They did not, however, want to enter into advance commitments which would deprive the country of the right and possibility of remaining outside a new war.

M. Unden, who was speaking in a foreign-affairs debate, added that Sweden wanted to know from the start where she was heading. Up to now the Scandinavian Defence Union had been characterised by "loose speculations."

"Sweden wants to limit the investigations to the question of how best we can defend our freedom and independence on the assumption that we seek to remain outside any conflict," he said.—Reuter.

PI EXPORT RESTRICTION

Manila, June 30.

President Quirino, with Cabinet approval, today issued an order prohibiting the export of copper, brass and lead, effective immediately.

The measure is calculated to discourage the reportedly rampant stealing of communication wires. The Manila Railroad Company manager, Sergio Bayanan, recommended the measure, saying wires were being stolen and converted into copper and lead ingots, which were then exported to China and the United States.

The company reported the loss of a considerable quantity of communication wires.—United Press.

also, told a news conference he thinks there is a possibility that President Harry Truman "will listen to the advice of good friends and loyal Democrats and withdraw his candidacy."—Associated Press.

SUMMER SALE

20% DISCOUNT!

from July, 1st, 1948.

SHANGHAI EXPERT DRESS MAKER—

KUNG WING LADIES TAILOR

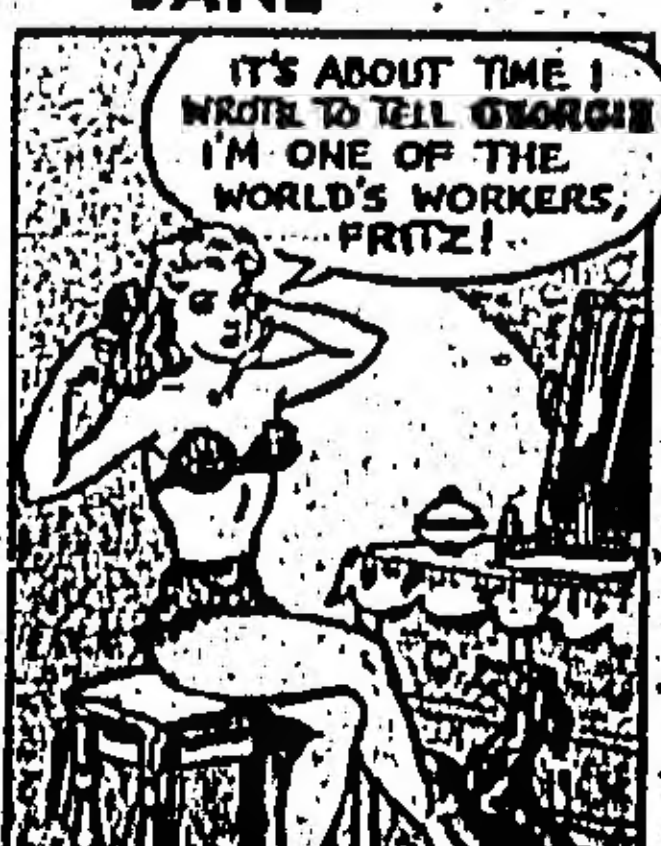
86 NA. HAN ROAD, KOWLOON, TELEPHONE 59938

PROMPT & SATISFACTORY SERVICE GUARANTEED!

JANE

HONG KONG FILM and THEATRE NEWS

JULY ISSUE NOW ON SALE 30 cts.



IT'S ABOUT TIME I WROTE TO TELL YOU I'M ONE OF THE WORLD'S WORKERS. FRITZ!

...MRS GRUFFYDD (THE ONLY PERSON I'VE MET WHO CAN SHOUT DOWN HER HUSBY) IS A DEAR. BUT I DON'T QUITE GET EVANDER (YES, THAT'S HIS NAME!)

...THERE'S A QUEER OLD BOY WHO'S BEEN HAUNTING ME—MR. G. JUST PRETENDS HE HATES ME. AND AS HE DOES (EVANDER) TAKES ME TO THE WORKS IN THE CAR EVERY MORNING.

MY UNKNOWN ADMIRER—OR SECRET SUITOR—DOESN'T GET THE CHANCE TO

IT WILL COST YOU NO MORE TO BOOK ALL YOUR PASSAGE TICKETS THROUGH THE

CHINA TRAVEL SERVICE

6, QUEEN'S ROAD, C.
Tels. 21826, 31116 & 31279
(All depts.)

Leading current American & British magazines always in stock and sold at amazingly low prices. STANDING orders accepted; satisfactory service guaranteed. Complete list on request.

INTERNATIONAL BOOK SERVICE

22 Des Voeux Rd., C.

For QUALITY PRINTING With Entire Satisfaction

Call at THE GOLDEN GATE PRINTING PRESS
44 D'Aguiar Street, Central.
Telephone 33435

SERVICE TO OFFER DENNIS & CO., LTD.

(White Ants Extermination Dept.) offers service in White Ant Treatment. Just make a call on the telephone and our TECHNICIAN will be at your service for Free Inspection. Tel. 32913, 33324.

PEIPING & TIENTSIN WOOL CARPETS

WHOLESALE OR RETAIL

CHI HING HONG

65 Queen's Road C. 1st Floor, Telephone 24859

HONGKONG

BOSTON STEAM LAUNDRY

BEST SERVICE MODERATE PRICES

31B, WYNDHAM ST.

SPECIAL SALE

10% to 30% DISCOUNT

FROM 27th JUNE TO 7th JULY

INDIAN

BELGIAN

KASHMIR

CARPETS

Customers are advised to call early as the Sale definitely ends on July 7

CARPET INDUSTRIES

45, Austin Road, Ground Floor, Kowloon.

SHOWING TO-DAY **THINKS** AT 2.30, 5.15, 7.20 & 9.30 P.M.

AIR-CONDITIONED



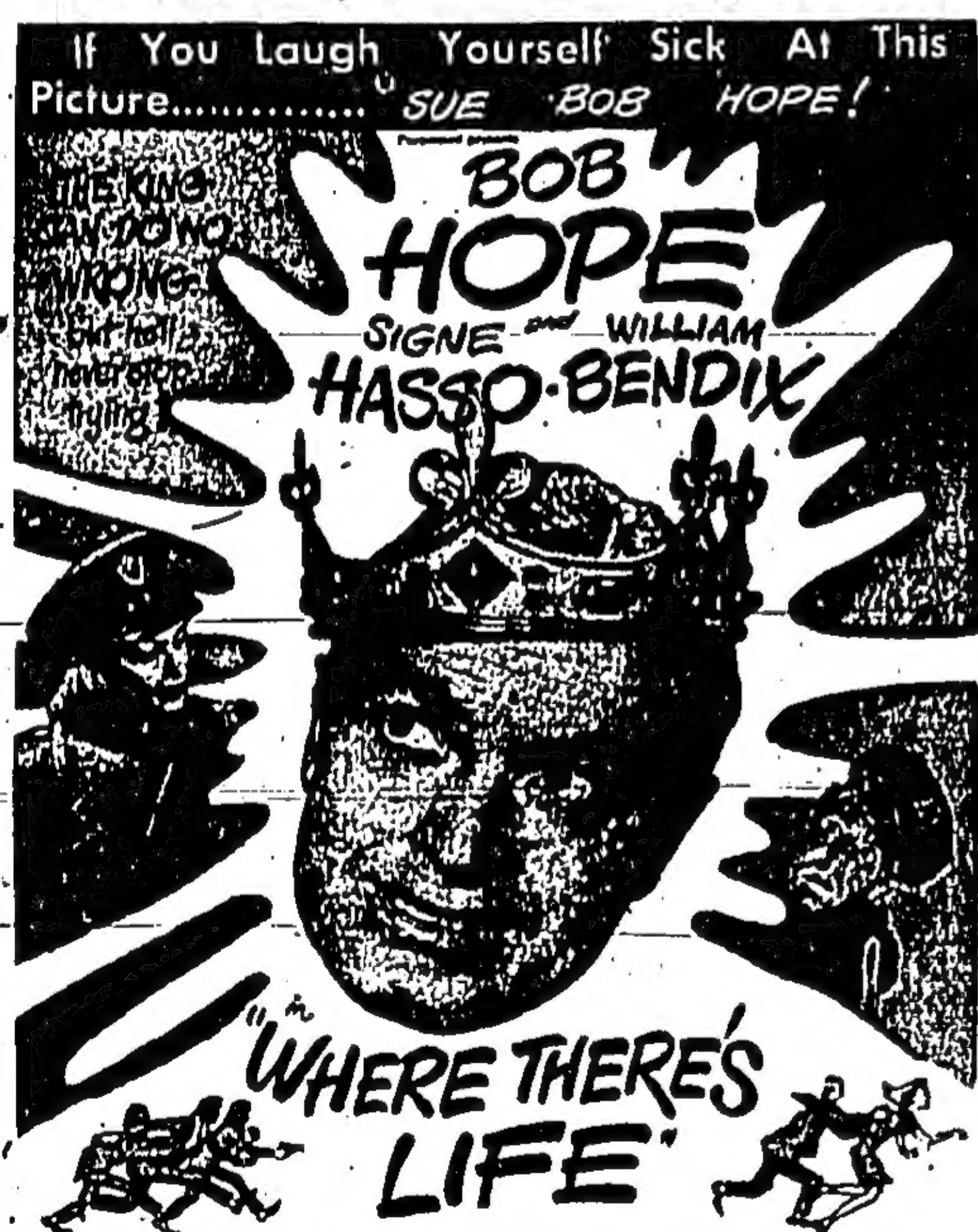
Atonement in the desert!

ROBERT YOUNG MARGUERITE CHAPMAN
RELENTLESS
WILLARD PARKER - AKIM TAMIROFF
DARTON MACLANE - MIKE MARZUKI - ROBERT DARRAT - CLAU DEYANS
Directed by GEORGE SHERMAN - Produced by EUGENE D. HOLNEY

Also Latest 20th Century-Fox Movietone News
TRUCE IN PALESTINE... EX-KING, MICHAEL OF RUMANIA WEDS PRINCESS ANNE IN ATHENS... PRESIDENT OF FRANCE HONOURS CAEN IN NORMANDIE WHERE ALLIES MADE HISTORIC D-DAY LANDING, Etc., etc.

And Color Cartoon "TOPSY TURKEY"

SHOWING TO-DAY **Queens** AT 2.30, 5.15, 7.20 & 9.30 P.M.



— ADDED ATTRACTIONS —
Latest News Of The Day — DIVING CHAMPIONS
Hold Competition to Represent America at the Olympic Games — Beauty Contest in America — Derby Day in Japan — Etc.
Latest Color Cartoon — "BARGAIN COUNTER ATTACK"

WEEKLY CHINA MAIL

Price 50 cents

CONTAINING ALL THE LOCAL NEWS OF THE WEEK FROM THE "CHINA MAIL" & "SUNDAY HERALD."

ON SALE EVERY THURSDAY

COMMUNISTS LOSING GROUND: DEFIANCE BY FINNISH ARMY

READY TO FIGHT FOR FREEDOM

New York, June 29. Hjalmar Procope, former Finnish Minister at Washington, today wrote in a letter to the Times that the Communists in Finland have slowed up since the "quick counter-action of the Finnish army on April 26 made it impossible to overthrow the present coalition Government."

Procope, who at present lives in Stockholm, claimed that since the Communist coup in Czechoslovakia, the Communists have been losing ground with the Army and the Police.

He asserted that about 7,000 Soviet agents are inside Finland and that two or three more coming in daily and "there is no doubt whatever the Finnish Communists have secret ammunition depots for their own military groups."

Procope added, "The Army remains continuously on guard and is ready to prevent any coup. This contrasts with the Army's impotence in Czechoslovakia."

Would Fight

He claimed that the Finnish Communist Party was split over the issue of nationalism and revolutionism and stated, "The little nation that twice fought for her independence against Soviet imperialism will fight again. There will always be a free, democratic Finland."

The Communist strength appeared on the scene today as Finland prepared for its first general election in three years on Thursday and Friday.

The Finns have regained much of their stouter calm. They no longer will support the Communists chiefly because of veiled threats of what Russia may do if they refuse. The veiled threats still continue, however.

Vrjo Leino, the dismissed Communist Interior Minister, told an audience that the expulsion of Communists from the Government might disturb Finland's friendly relations with Russia.

Changed Picture

His associates strongly emphasize that the Popular Democrats—the Finnish Communist Party—alone enjoy the full confidence of Moscow.

However, this is not 1945. Then, after two wars with Russia, many frightened Liberals, Social Democrats, and Conservatives voted for the Popular Democrats simply because they believe them the only Party able to re-establish better relations with Russia.

Now Finland's relations with Russia are regulated by a treaty of friendship and mutual aid, signed two months ago. Other parties point out also that Russia has promised not to interfere in Finland's internal affairs.—United Press.

EVIDENCE WAS NOT ENOUGH

London, June 29. War Minister Emanuel Shinwell told the House of Commons today that he shared in the indignation over Britain's inability to prosecute two Japanese arrested as alleged war criminals and later released.

Mr. Shinwell said there was not enough evidence to bring Major-General Kanoshita and Sergeant-Major Yoshida to trial. The two allegedly were in charge of Bridge House, Shanghai, where a number of British nationals were held and mistreated during the war.

"The sole reason why these cases have not been proceeded with," Mr. Shinwell said, "is because it was impossible to obtain sufficient evidence. In the judgment of the Deputy Advocate General and it was unwise to keep these people in prison without trial indefinitely."—Associated Press.

SUSPENSION OF SENTENCE

Paris, June 29. The French High Court of Justice, which tries political offences, today passed sentence of five years national indignity on Marcel Lemoine, Secretary of the Interior under Marshal Petain, but immediately suspended sentence in recognition of Lemoine's services to the Resistance.—Reuter.

RADIO

2BW Hong Kong broadcasting on a frequency of 845 kilocycles from 12.30 to 2.00 p.m., and from 6.00 to 11.15 p.m., and also on 952 megacycles in the 31 metre and from 12.30 to 1.15, 7.30 to 8.30 and 9.15 to 11.15 p.m.

12.30 p.m.—Daily Programme Summary.

12.32 p.m.—Melodies from British Films (BBC).

1.00 p.m.—Xavier Cugat and His Orchestra of the Waldorf Astoria Hotel.

1.15 p.m.—News, Weather Report and Announcements.

1.25 p.m.—Interlude.

1.30 p.m.—"Grand Hotel" Albert Sandler and Orchestra with Dennis Noble (BBC).

2.00 p.m.—Close Down.

6.00 p.m.—Programme Summary.

6.01 p.m.—Children's Story: "The day they gave Hades away," starring Claude Jarman Jr.

6.20 p.m.—Light Varieties with Tony Martin (Vocal).

6.45 p.m.—Tosca and His Tumbling Tumble-Weeds (Studio).

7.00 p.m.—"ITMA" with Tommy Handley (BBC).

7.30 p.m.—La Demi-Heure Francophone (Studio).

8.00 p.m.—World and Home News (London Relay).

8.15 p.m.—"British Concert Hall" London Symphony Orchestra (BBC).

9.15 p.m.—"Science and Everyday Life" Science and Leather (BBC).

9.30 p.m.—Dance to Eric Winston and His Orchestra with Julie Dawn and Denis Hale (Vocal) (BBC).

10.00 p.m.—World and Home News (London Relay).

10.15 p.m.—"Dominion Day" — Canada (London Relay).

11.00 p.m.—Radio News Reel (London Relay).

11.15 p.m.—Weather Report and Close Down.

STAR

Phone 56335
TO-DAY ONLY
2.30, 5.10, 7.20 & 9.30

HIS FIRED STRUCK SPARKS THAT FIRED WOMEN'S HEARTS



TO-MORROW "CASABLANCA" Starring HUMPHREY BOGART INGRID BERGMAN

Tokyo Rose May Face Treason Charges

Washington, June 30. Attorney-General Tom C. Clark is expected to decide soon whether to prosecute American born "Tokyo Rose" on treason charges.

Justice Department sources said today that evidence in the case of Eva Torgui has been placed before Clark without recommendation.

Government lawyers are divided on whether the evidence would stand up in court. Clark will examine their findings and then decide what, if any, action should be taken against the former Los Angeles woman.

She was the only American citizen among a group of English speaking women whose propaganda broadcasts over the Japanese radio earned them the GI nickname "Tokyo Rose." She is now the wife of a Portuguese national named D'Aquino.

After her capture, she told United States authorities that she first went to Japan in 1940 to take care of an ailing aunt. She claims she tried to return to the United States both before and after Pearl Harbor but was unsuccessful. She said she went to work for the Japanese radio only to support herself.

Now under surveillance in Tokyo, she has not been formally arrested or charged with any crime.—United Press.

Another Try By Big Four

Lake Success, June 29.

The United States and France indicated tonight that they favoured further big power attempts to solve the Berlin crisis before turning to the United Nations.

This appeared to rule out, at least for the present, any action on Trygve Lie's tentative enquiry whether he should lay the issue before the Security Council.

Mr. Lie had received no official reply from any of the big Powers up to midday today, but the U.S. State Department press officer indicated that the United Nations might be useful at a later stage if the Berlin situation continued to deteriorate.

A spokesman for the French delegation said that France did not wish to comment on Mr. Lie's idea until all efforts have been made by the big Powers to settle the problem.—Associated Press.

SS MEN TO DIE

Hamburg, June 29. Arthur Konrad, former SS superior of the Ravensbrück concentration camp, was sentenced to death by hanging here today.

Walter Schenk and Heinrich Schaefer were sentenced to 20 and two years imprisonment, respectively, for mistreating inmates.—Reuter.

CENTRAL THEATRE

5 SHOWS DAILY
At 12.30, 2.30, 5.15, 7.30 & 9.30 p.m.

Teeming With Thrills!



Richard Denning Jack Haley Patricia Morison Walter Abel Helga Gilbert Elizabeth Patterson

BARCLAY ON BRIDGE

By Shepard Barclay
The Authority on Authorities

GUESSING UNAVOIDABLE NO MATTER how good you may become at this game of contract bridge, there will always be occasions on which you have to make a guess. Call it an estimate, if you wish, or an inference, or anything else, frankly the thing that determines your eventual action sometimes in a tight spot deserves no fancier name than mere guesswork.

In the long run the advantage the better player comes from his better work in the non-guessing situations. But when mere chance determines whether your choice is the best or the worst possible action, the tyro is about on the same level as the star.

S. A. 10
H. A. J. 03
D. K. C. K. J. 8 7 5 3
S. K. 0 6 S. Q. J. 5 3
6 4 N. E. 2
H. 5 4 W. E. H. 8
D. Q. 8 4 S. C. J. 0 8 3
C. 4 C. 10 6

S. 7
H. K. Q. 10 7 2
D. 10 7 5
C. A. Q. 9 2

(Dealer: North, North-South vulnerable)

North East South West
1 C 1 S 2 H 2 S
4 H 4 S 5 H Pass
6 H 6 S

That is the way the bidding went at most tables of a social tournament on which I had to stop there. In one instance North doubled the 6-Spades and set it two with tricks in every suit but diamonds.

In several cases North over-called the 6-Spades with 6-No Trumps, counting on the diamond to stop that suit if it was led. Old pair got away with that bid.

As it developed, both the top and the bottom score came from the 6-No Trump bids. But who, honestly, could tell that from the developments that had preceded? Let's be truthful about it. Nobody could really tell. What action should be taken at the final stages of such bidding, with such hands, really depended on what you ate for breakfast, what you happened to be thinking about at the moment or perhaps a hunch in the case of a man or intuition in the case of a woman.

Tomorrow's Problem
S. J. 8 4 3
H. A. 5
D. K. 0 2
C. A. K. 8 4

S. K. Q. 10
H. 10 4 2 N. E. H. 8
D. Q. 10 3 S. C. J. 9 7
C. 10 5 3 S. 2

S. A. 9 5
H. K. Q. J. 0 7 6 3
D. A. 0 5
C. None

(Dealer: North, Both sides vulnerable)
What unusual variation of a standard complex play will enable South to make 7-Hearts here after West leads the spade K?

LEE THEATRE

ADVANCE BOOKING OFFICE ST. FRANCIS HOTEL.
Booking Hours: 11.00 a.m. to 5.30 p.m. Daily

Showing Today at 2.30, 5.15, 7.30 & 9.30 p.m.

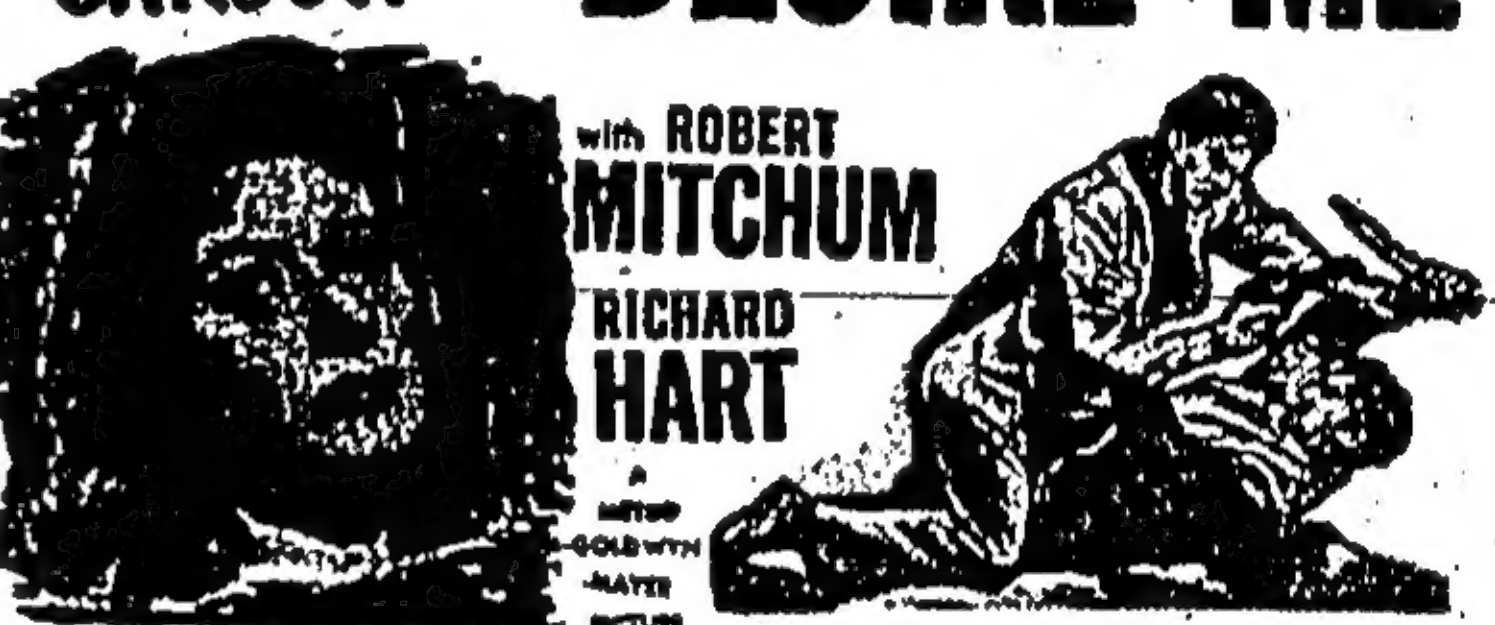


ADDED: LATEST GAUMONT BRITISH NEWS

ALHAMBRA THEATRE

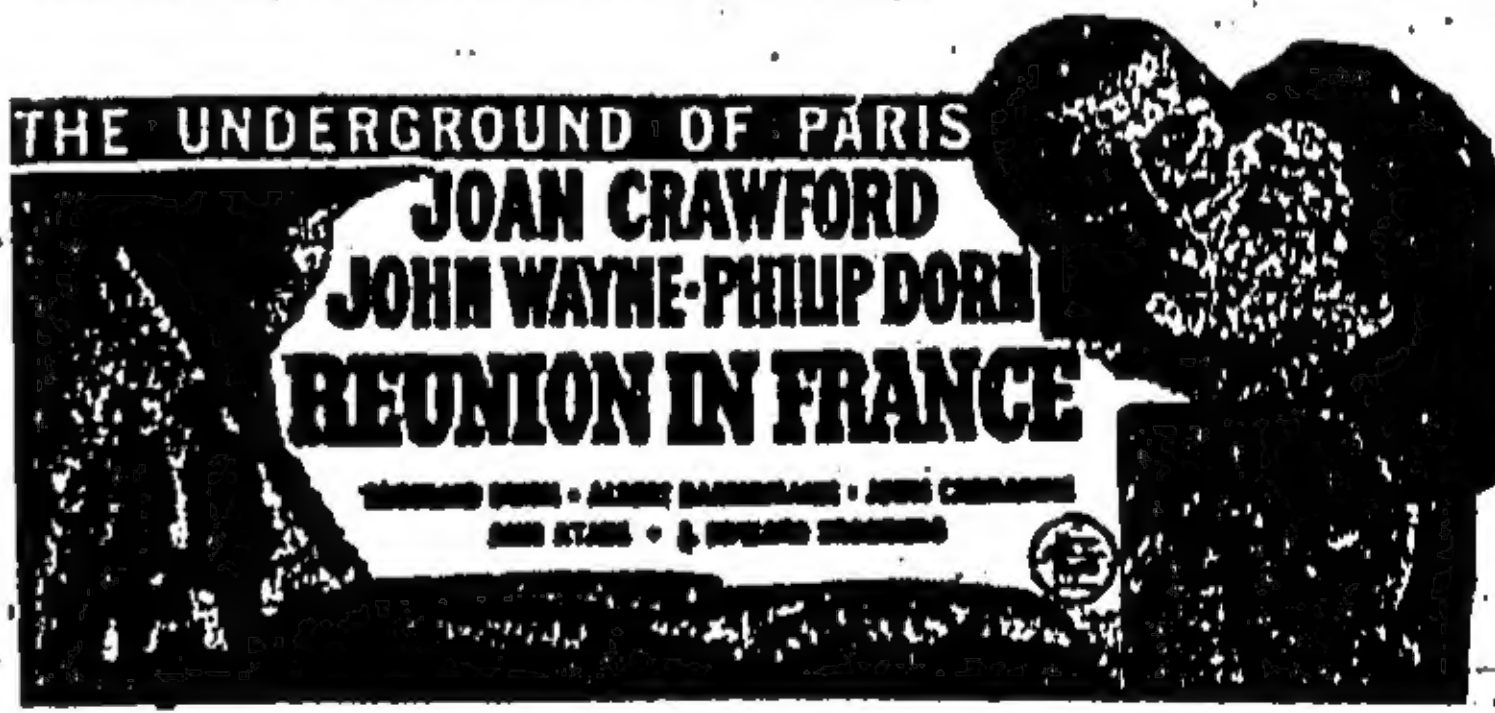
Showing To-day At 2.30, 5.15, 7.20 & 9.30 p.m.
A LOVE STORY AS WILD AS THE MEN WHO FOUGHT FOR HER!

GREER GARSON in "DESIRE ME" with ROBERT MITCHUM RICHARD HART



ORIENTAL

Showing To-Day At 2.30, 5.15, 7.30 & 9.30 P.M.
WHAT A THRILL!... Sizzling drama of a stranded Yankee flyer and a Parisian beauty!



MAJESTIC

SHOWING TO-DAY AT 2.30, 5.20, 7.20 & 9.20 p.m.



NEXT CHANGE "THE SEVENTH NATIONAL ATHLETIC MEET"

Cathay

AT 2.30, 5.30, 7.30 & 9.30 P.M.

THIS IS THE MOST WONDERFUL TRIUMPH! BETTE DAVIS PAUL LUKAS in "WATCH ON the RHINE" With Geraldine Fitzgerald, Leslie Watton

GRAND OPENING TO-MORROW KAYE'S FURNISHES... In every sense out of this world! KAYE, VIRGINIA MAYO & GOLDEN GIRLS in "THE SECRET LIFE OF WALTER MITTY"



NEXT FLIGHT

HONG KONG TO MANILA 2nd July, Friday.



NEXT FLIGHT

HONG KONG TO BANGKOK 2nd July, Friday.

FAR EAST AVIATION CO., LTD.

Top Floor, National City Bank of N.Y. Bldg. Tel. 27250.
(Entrance on Duddell Street). Kowloon Tel: 57185

Air France-

(FRENCH OVERSEAS AIRWAYS)

SCHEDULED AIR SERVICES

from HONG KONG to SAIGON

every Sunday

from HONG KONG to HAI PHONG & HANOI

every Monday.

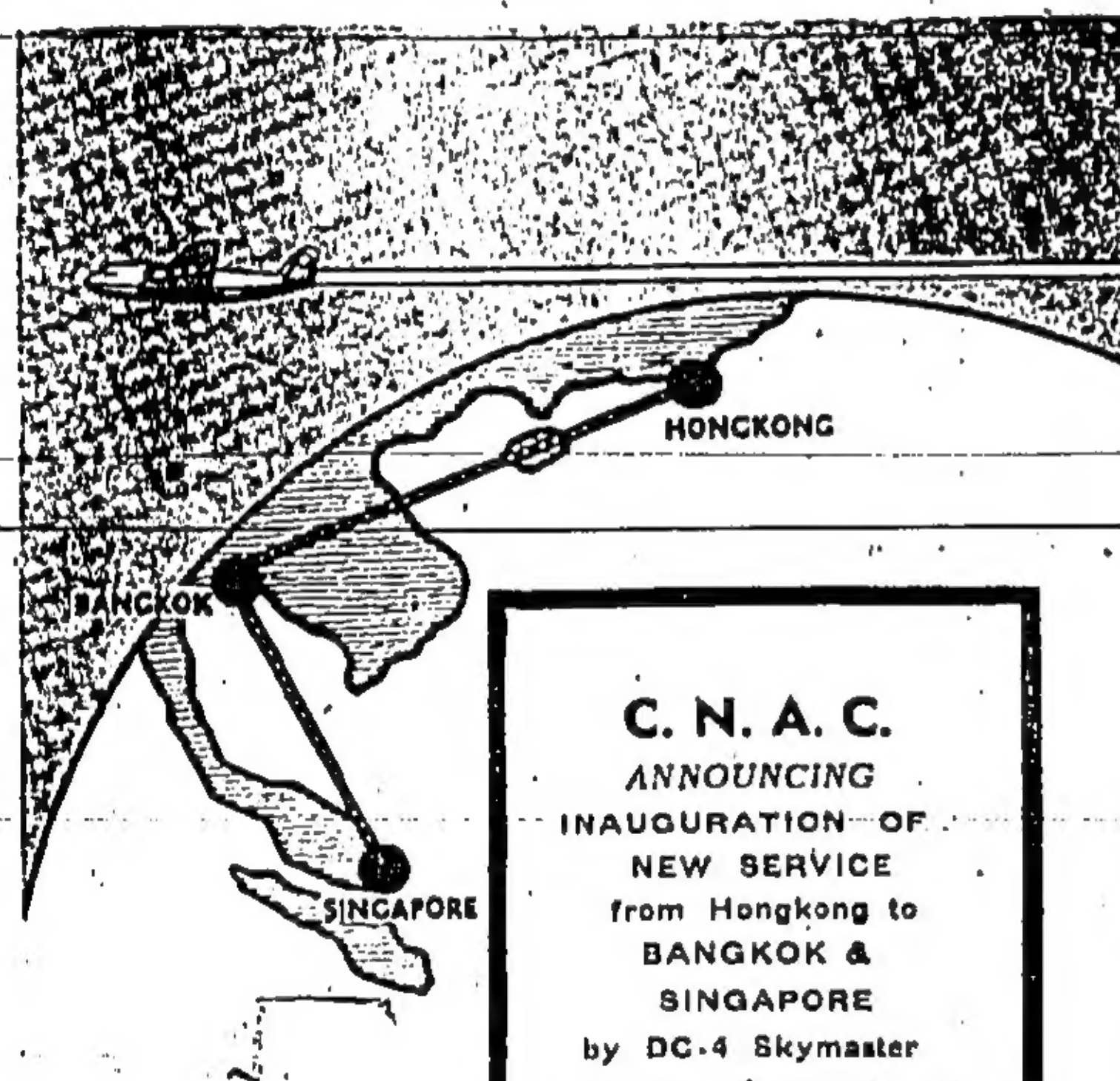
from HONG KONG to PARIS

Fridays, July 9th & July 23rd.

For Particulars Apply To:-

CIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES

Queen's Building Tel. 20651 (3 lines)



C. N. A. C.

ANNOUNCING

INAUGURATION OF

NEW SERVICE

from Hongkong to

BANGKOK &

SINGAPORE

by DC-4 Skymaster

To Bangkok: 5 hours

To Singapore: 9 hours

First Flight

Monday, July 5th.

Every Monday thereafter

Gloucester Bldg., Hongkong Peninsula Hotel, Kowloon
Tels. 31166-31169 Tel. 58870

S. A. C.



SIAMESE AIRWAYS COMPANY, LTD.

De Luxe Passenger Planes

Sofa Seats

Scheduled Flights:-

HONGKONG-BANGKOK

Every:- Tuesday & Saturday

AND

From BANGKOK

Every:-

Wednesday

Mon., Wedn. & Fri.

Friday

To:- Singapore

Penang

Saigon

For Further Particulars Please Apply

General Agents:-

SOUTH EAST ASIA TRADING CO., (SIAM) LTD.

60, Connaught Road, West. Tel. 54322.

Peninsula Hotel, Kowloon. Tel. 59364

Sole Agents:-

Aun Pli Sang Trading Co., Ltd. 49, Pedder St. Tel. 27723

Chiang Hui Hong 4, Connaught Rd., W. Tel. 27601



Editor-in-Chief: W. J. Keates.

Asst. Editor: Ian Mackenzie.

Business Manager: W. H. Nolloth

Telephone:

Editors 24354

Reporters & General Office 32312

(four lines)

Subscription Rates:

3 months H.K.\$18.00

6 months H.K.\$30.00

One year H.K.\$72.00

ENGAGEMENT

BRADBURY - WELLER: The engagement is announced between Joan Ursula, youngest daughter of Mr. & Mrs. B. W. Bradbury, "Cornwall Lodge", Kowloon, and Frederick Anthony, only son of Mr. & Mrs. F. C. Weller, of The Hong Kong University.

WARSAW

Coincident with the reopening of Berlin to Western supply trains, the Soviet Union has launched a new appeal to the United States, Britain and France for a German settlement. The appeal issued from Warsaw and carried the ratifying signatures of seven Russian satellites, among them three former satellites of the Nazis. It is of course one more bewildering development in the cold war and, whatever else it may be, a contrived propaganda blast of great significance in the Russian campaign to win Germany to Communism.

It would be wrong, however, for the Western powers to yield to the temptation of dismissing for what it seems to be. The responsible duty of the three nations and their peoples is to analyse this proposal, which comes under the leading signature of Molotov to see what hopes it may offer of a turn in the crisis.

The Eastern bloc of states, dominated of course by Russian political aims, considers urgent the demilitarisation of Germany by Four-Power agreement. The West does too. The East wants Four-Power control over the Ruhr's heavy industry and prohibition of the restoration of Germany's war potential. The West wants the latter, if not the former.

The East wants the conclusion of a peace treaty with Germany and withdrawal of occupation troops within a year. The West also wants a German peace, and once Germany can safely be restored to the comity of nations, the British people, at any rate, have no desire to remain in occupation beyond that time.

The East wants a provisional, democratic, peace-loving, all-German government. The West, too, wants a democratic, politically unified Germany with increasing autonomy.

So, if the words could be read in confidence of meaning what they seem to mean, one might be disposed to say, "There surely is no irreparable breach here."

But how do we go about determining what is meant by all this language? How are we to reconcile the different interpretations which the words give rise to?

Are the Russians proposing a new Four-Power conference on Germany? Apparently they are. If so, will they enter into such a conference according to the letter and spirit of their own prior commitments, solemnly agreed to at Potsdam and since abrogated? Is there a chance for a worthwhile conference with reconciliation, one motivated on both sides by a desire to modify and abate the intensity of the cold war?

Or is the Warsaw communique a mere tactical manoeuvre, a routine counter-move to the recent six-power decision, for the

MEN WHO MURDER IN MALAYA

In pre-war Singapore the loudest sounds to be heard from Raffles Hotel were the drumming of tropical rain on the corrugated iron roof and the clack-clack of wooden sandals as the industrious Chinese, Indians, and Malays went about their business.

Today the crackle of pistol and machine-gun fire echoes through the long peddler-shaped Malay Peninsula from end to end. Hundreds of old-timers who have turned up since the war, seemingly from nowhere, and have set about restoring the good old days have had their complacency shattered.

Gangsterism

Scores of shootings and stabblings have occurred. Mr. John St. Maure Ramsden was shot dead by a disgruntled servant at the Caledonia Estate at Bitterworth, near Penang, recently. Three British estate managers were riddled with Sten-gun bullets by a Chinese gang on their

estates in the Sungul Siput district, about 20 miles north of Ipoh.

The senior Sungul Siput police officer said: "There is no question that the murders were carried out by the Communist strong-arm corps, which is out to destroy the rubber and tin industries in this country."

One shooting—at the Aik Hoe factory in Singapore—was the result of a feud between two groups of Chinese, and some of the payroll robberies may be pure gangsterism.

But the murder of a Chinese headman on the Mary Estate in the Butang Berjuntal district was committed by Communists who

By BRIAN CONNELL

Pope Denounces Strike As Political Weapon

Rome, June 29.

Pope Pius today denounced use of the strike as a political weapon and told 30,000 Catholic workers that wage increases alone "will not bring a return to prosperity. Return to prosperity does not depend only upon increased wages but also upon the wise administration of your home."

The Pope warned that "trade union is admissible only in so far as it is maintained in trade union aims."

This was an indirect reference to the Catholic workers' opposition to the Communist-dominated National Labour Confederation. The Communists have charged the Catholic group with endangering labour unity by their refusal to join all strikes.

The Pope also criticised "work stoppages which have political motivation" and said

that strikes are legitimate only as long as they "do not obstruct the liberty of others to work." This was the Pope's first speech devoted to labour in three years. He addressed members of the Italian Catholic Workers Association in the huge Belvedere court in Vatican City.

As the Pope spoke, the Milan Chamber of Labour ordered all bakery and dairy workers there to strike on Wednesday cutting off bread and milk for 1,300,000 persons.—United Press.

BALKANS REPORT COMPLETED

Geneva, June 29.

The United Nations' special Committee on the Balkans completed its report to the General Assembly today. Its principal recommendation was on the desirability of keeping the Committee in existence.

A closed signing ceremony tomorrow afternoon will bring to an end several months of investigation in Greece and six weeks of secret meetings in Geneva. The Geneva meetings of the nine-member Committee were marked by strong disagreements over the body's terms of reference and over the conclusions reached in the report.

The Committee has been boycotted by its two Communist members, Russia and Poland, and had been described as illegal by Greece's Communist neighbours, Albania, Bulgaria, and Yugoslavia.

The Greek Government on the other hand has cooperated fully with the Committee throughout its work.

The Australian delegate, Col. William Hodgson, told the Associated Press today that he would abstain from that part of the report containing observations on Greece's northern frontiers. The Committee was given no powers of investigation, Hodgson declared, and that part of its report was founded mainly on certain

unification of Western Germany?

What is a "provisional, democratic, peace-loving, all-German government"? Past experience suggests it means nothing more than an all-German-Communist-controlled government.

Again, what does Four-Power control over the Ruhr mean? Is a genuine, working authority for the management of that industrial heart of Europe contemplated, or a repetition of the kind of Four-Power control from the degeneration of which Berlin has suffered?

These are the questions that the Warsaw appeal brings forth. The cynicism which the Russians have so well taught us readily supplies answers. But since the question of war and peace is so bound up in the future of Germany, the Western powers have the duty to ask Mr. Molotov what he really means.

BY-PRODUCT OF GENIUS

Irritability has long been recognised as one of the less desirable by-products of genius.

Dr. Johnson used to fly into a rage at the dinner-table and hurl his plate across the room merely because the pudding was not to his liking.

Norman von Nida, the Australian champion golfer, throws away his clubs when something goes wrong with his game—or he just stands and storms.

This little man with an obstinate mouth and a pugnacious chin, who last year went home with

at the Mere Country Club, Cheshire, while playing in a £1,500 competition. He was annoyed because he played a poor shot.

But what is the real reason for Von Nida's unconventional behaviour? One clue is his background. Von Nida is tough. He has had to fight hard for his present fame. Once upon a time he worked in a Brisbane meat factory.

He grew up in a tough world. He was only 11 when he determined to be a "big shot" in golf. He became a caddy and carried

By F. G. PRINCE WHITE

five major British tournaments and £3,000 prize-money in his pocket, has acquired in this country a double reputation. Everybody in the golfing world prizes him as a brilliant exponent of his chosen sport; few admire his manners on the course, though he has been called "volatile," "dynamic," "magical."

'Never Again'

Time after time Von Nida has exploded violently in championship matches, astounding spectators and embarrassing officials. Recently, when his putt "looked into the hole" and then jumped out, he flung self-control and his club to the winds, but a few hours later he sat down and wrote to the Professional Golfers' Association: "I would like to tender my sincerest apologies for my club-throwing and assure you it shall never occur again."

He is always almost childishly contrite after a "scene." Last year he swore never to play at St. Andrews again because he had been penalised a couple of strokes—unjustly, he maintained.

Now he has just apologised for bashing a lump out of a bunker

Never Surprised

At 15 he was Queensland's amateur champion. That thrusting chin of his developed early. He was a tempestuous youth. But to his friends Von Nida is a "character," and a lovable one. They say that to know him is to understand his temperament.

They were not surprised even when he was involved in a fight with Henry Ransom, the Illinois professional, during the Lower Rio Grande Valley open tournament early this year, the result of which was that Ransom was suspended.

The other day someone with exceptional courage asked Von Nida the cause of the outbursts that have earned him front-page notoriety. He is said to have answered: "I'm not a Pommy (Englishman) who can keep his emotions bottled up; I'm an Australian, and I've got to get mine out of me."

NO STRINGS TO MARSHALL AID

London, June 29.

The Chancellor of the Exchequer, Sir Stafford Cripps, told the House of Commons today that the Anglo-American Marshall aid agreement left Britain the sole judge of how to use the aid funds.

Under Article 2 of the agreement, he said, Britain promises to use its best endeavours to adopt or maintain "in our case it is practically to maintain"—measures—calculated to achieve maximum recovery with aid received from the United States and other sources.

"This provision makes it quite clear," said Sir Stafford, "that His Majesty's Government is the sole judge of how it shall use its best endeavours and as to what measures it shall adopt."

The deputy Opposition leader, Mr. Anthony Eden, said the Opposition would reserve comment and judgment until it had had an opportunity to study the White Paper.

Informed sources said Government intended to sign the agreement as soon as the Commons approved it next Tuesday night—three days after the July 3 deadline fixed by the United States.

However, political sources said Britain at the most would lose only a single day's aid as the re-

sult of the delay. The first business day after expiration of the deadline is Monday, July 5, which is a holiday in the United States. Thus aid would be suspended only on Tuesday, these sources said.—United Press.

FORGERY RING CRUSHED

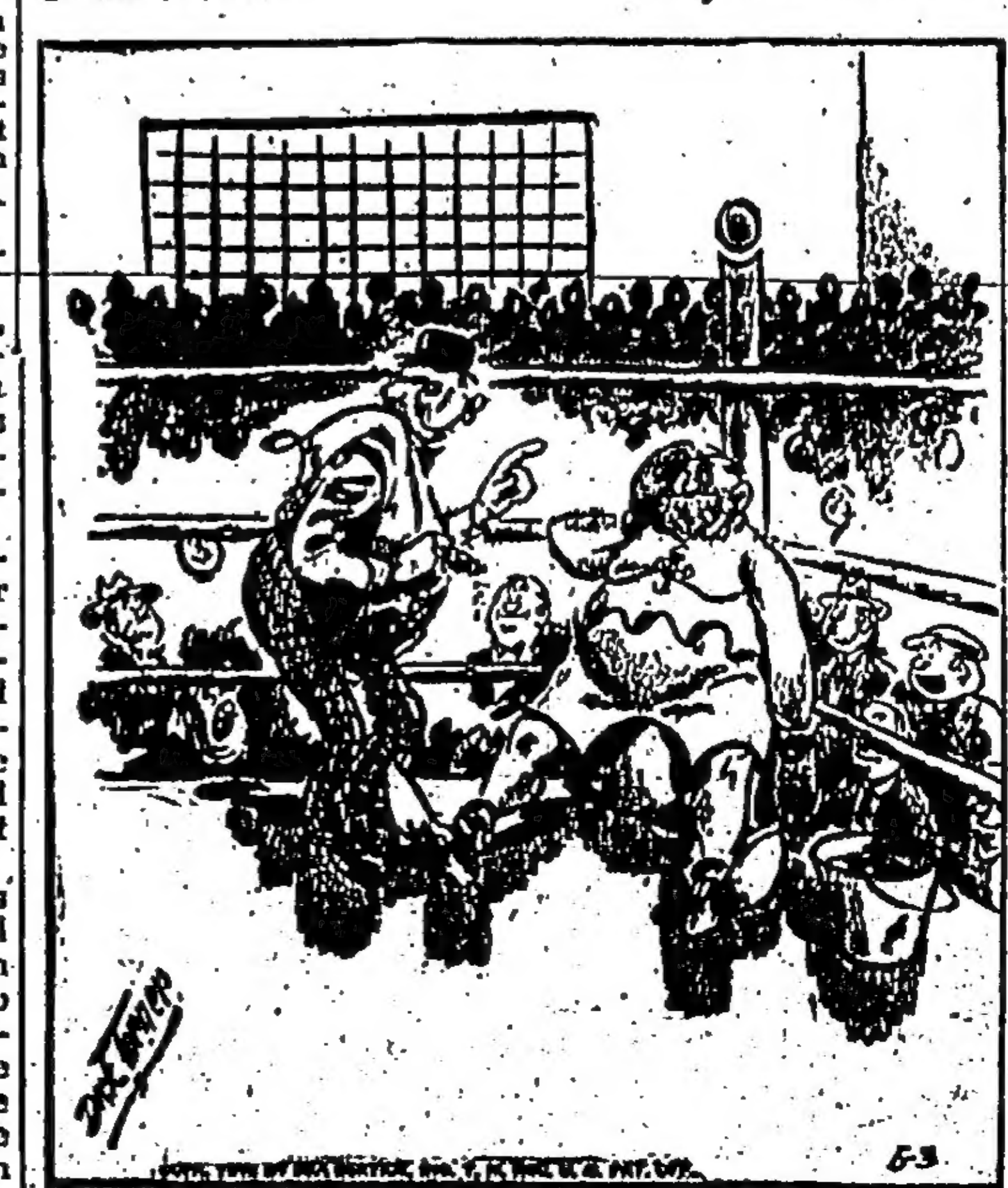
Frankfurt, June 29.

American Criminal Investigation officers have crushed a ring of counterfeiters of new, printed in America "Deutsche mark" notes, it was revealed today.

Seven Germans and one Pole were arrested by agents who found plates for printing counterfeit notes, 20 and 50 Deutsche mark banknotes, in their possession. The arrests were made a week ago in Frankfurt and in Weiden in Bavaria. All were brought to Frankfurt where they are held for trial pending completion of investigations.—Associated Press.

CARNIVAL

By Dick Turner



"In the first round he has come to you, only not so close!"

Don't just say Brandy.

say



Cognac

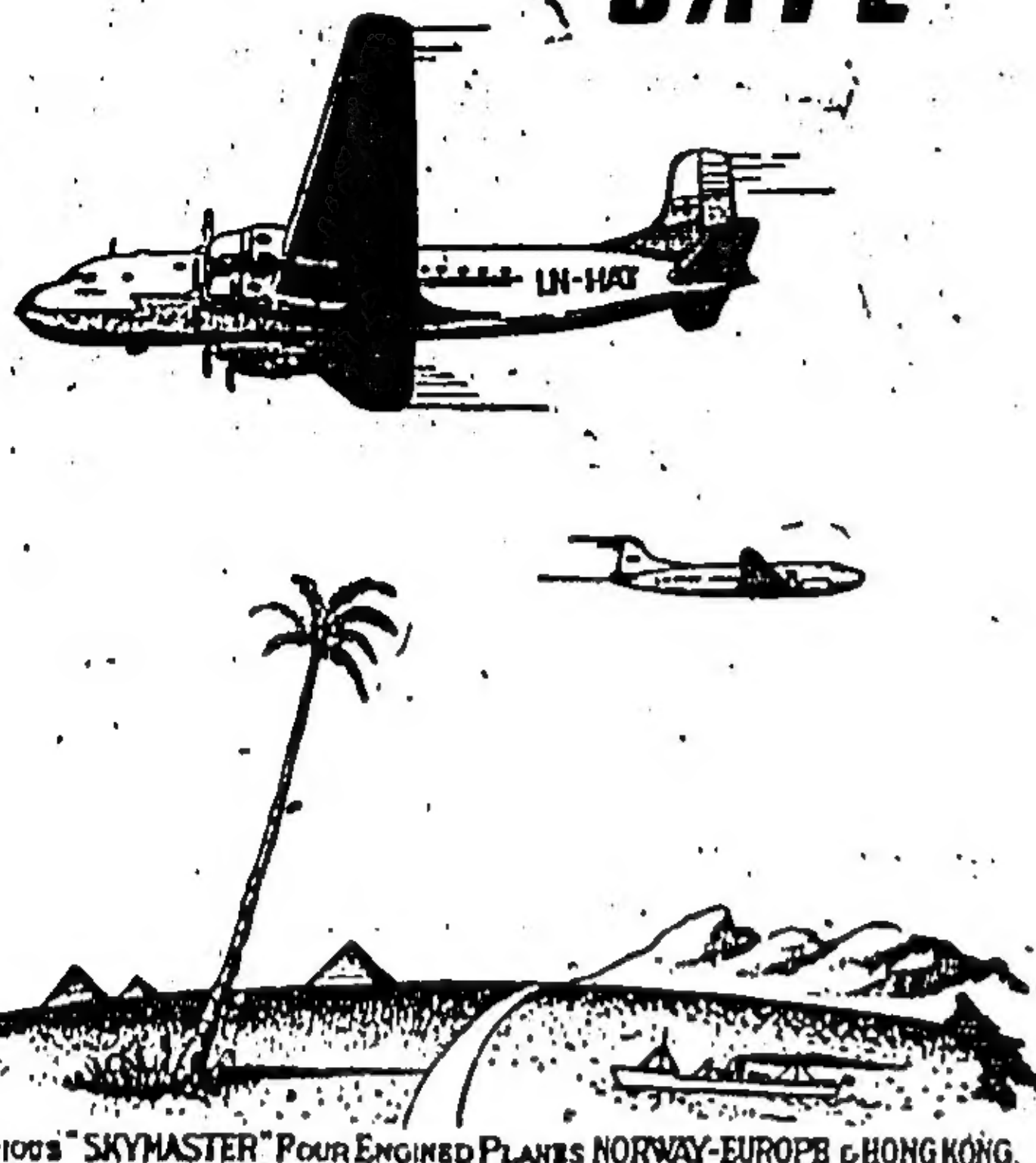
PRODUCE OF FRANCE

from

CALDBECKS

TELEPHONE 30078

BRAATHENS
SOUTH AMERICAN & FAR EAST AIRTRANSPORT A-S
SAFE



LUXURIOUS "SKYMASTER" FOUR-ENGINE PLANE, NORWAY-EUROPE & HONG KONG.

HONGKONG-LONDON

VIA AMSTERDAM

BOOKINGS ACCEPTED FOR ANY EUROPEAN DESTINATION
NO PRIORITIES REQUIRED
EXPECTED DEPARTURES FROM HONGKONG:

4th JULY
7th JULY
17th JULY
1st AUGUST
15th AUGUST

For Passage & Freight Bookings Apply to:-

WALLEM & CO.

Agents:

Hongkong & Shanghai Bank Building. Tel: 34177-9
Chinese Freight Agents: HIN FAT & CO., Tel. 23483

BELGRADE REDS HIT BACK

Strongly-Worded Attack On Cominform

TERRIBLE INSULT AND SHAMEFUL

London, June 29.

The Yugoslav Communist Party, in the strongest terms, tonight rejected the criticisms of its policy made by the nine-nation Cominform. The rejection was made in a statement issued by the Central Committee of the Yugoslav Communist Party and broadcast by all Yugoslav radio stations. It said that the Central Committee of the Russian Communist Party sent a letter on March 27 to all members of the Cominform, except Yugoslavia.

"This letter consisted of strong accusations against the Yugoslav Communist Party, but the Yugoslav Communist Party was not informed of its contents or that the letter was sent."

"Shortly afterwards, the Central Committee of the Yugoslav Communist Party sent a letter to the Yugoslav Central Committee giving a resume of the accusations against the Yugoslav Party."

"Copies of this Hungarian letter were sent to all other Communist Cominform parties, except the Italian and French."

"The Central Committee of the Yugoslav Communist Party charged that the members of the Cominform accepted the Russian criticisms of the Yugoslav Party before they had heard the Yugoslav side. Later the Russian Party sent three letters in April and May to the Yugoslav Party with accusations along the same lines."

"Terrible Insult"

"The statement described all the Cominform allegations as 'invented slander' and said the Central Committee could not discuss them on such a basis."

"The criticism was all the more amusing because the Soviet Communist Party had rejected the offer made by the Yugoslav Communist Party's letters to have the charges investigated on the spot."

The Yugoslav statement continued: "The Yugoslav Communist Party, with deepest disgust, rejects the accusations that the Party is deviating towards the protection of kulaks (owner-farmers) and that the Party is being led militaristically in that there is heavy punishment for mistakes."

"It is a shame and a terrible insult to us to allege that there is no criticism in the Yugoslav Party—in a party which has shown such achievements as the Yugoslav Party."

"As for the fact that in a few sections there have been no elections, this was caused only by wartime and post-war conditions. It has been the case in many parties, including the Russian Bolshevik Party."

Only Answer

The statement denied that there existed a "Turkish regime" and that Party members had not been informed of the accusations against M. Zujovic and M. Hebrang (the two Ministers who were recently dismissed from the Government).

The statement detailed other charges, and denied them all. It ended: "The Central Committee calls on the membership of the Yugoslav Communist Party to consolidate their ranks as the only answer to these accusations."

The criticism of the Cominform resolution constituted an attempt to discredit the reputation, both internally and externally, of the Yugoslav Communist Party and the Central Committee, the statement added.

In their letter of April 13, which offered to carry out an investigation of the charges on the spot, the Yugoslav Central Committee said there was no proof of anti-Soviet activity or of the charge that army and civil specialists of the Soviet Union were supervised by the Yugoslav secret police.

The statement continued: "This is a definite lie. It is definite lie that anybody was followed. On the contrary, it is absolutely true as pointed out in our letter of April 13 that, from the liberation until today, members of the Soviet Intelligence Service attempted, without consideration, to recruit Yugoslavs."

Class Struggle

"It is also true that, from the liberation until today, all members of the Party have given full co-operation to Soviet citizens. The Central Committee of the Yugoslav Party points out that"

CRITICISM OUT OF ORDER

Washington, June 29. The United States Secretary of State, Mr. George Marshall, told the Soviet Ambassador, Alexander Pavlovskiy, in a note today that the American Government cannot be held responsible for articles in the free American press.

The Russian Government in a note on June 9 had vigorously criticised an article in "Newsweek" magazine on United States defence against a possible Russian attack. —Reuter.

Soviet-Yugoslav relations are based, and have been based, on friendship and collaboration in that Yugoslav had never had the slightest idea of supervising Soviet citizens."

Rejecting the Cominform criticism that the class struggle in agriculture had not been carried out in accordance with Marxism and Leninism, the Yugoslav statement declared that such accusations undermined Socialist developments and gave comfort to reactionaries in the towns and villages.

Answering the accusation that the Yugoslav Party had become submerged in the Popular Front, the Central Committee said the origin of certain accusations lay in a complete failure to understand the nature of the Popular Front.

This accusation was also based on statements in the Yugoslav letters to the Russian Communist Party, which had been taken completely out of their context. —Reuter.

FLOOD OF RUMOUR

London, June 29.

While Belgrade radio was broadcasting the Yugoslav answer to the Cominform charges, unconfirmed reports poured into London ranging from fighting in Yugoslavia to rumours of Soviet troop movements towards the Yugoslav capital.

INDIA GOING AHEAD

London, June 29.

Lord Mountbatten, last Viceroy of India and first Governor-General, told a crowded audience at a reception here tonight for Lady Mountbatten and himself that he was quite certain India was going from strength to strength.

"She is bound to face the most appalling difficulties these days when the other countries of the world are faced with great difficulties," he said. "But India is going ahead."

"Good feeling in India towards Britain has never at any time been as high as it is now. Nothing but a criminal lunacy in this country could possibly destroy this feeling."

Lord Mountbatten made special reference to the question of Hyderabad.

He said: "We have had long discussions on how to fit this great State with its 17,000,000 population into the picture and these discussions continued until about ten days ago. It was heart-breaking to Sir Walter Monckton, the Constitutional Adviser to the Nizam, and to myself that the proposals we jointly worked out were not accepted."

Most-Favoured Nation

Paris, June 29.

France and the United States will grant most-favoured nation treatment to Western Germany and Trieste as long as either of them shares in the control of those territories.

The undertaking will hold good as long as both territories grant the same treatment to French and American trade.

The letters, exchanged between the French Foreign Minister, M. Georges Bidault, and the United States Ambassador, Mr. Jefferson Caffery, published today, said the agreement was reaching during the Anglo-French conversations. —Reuter.

PLAN FOR EAST GERMANY

Berlin, June 29.

German Communist leader Walter Ulbricht has proposed a two-year plan for Eastern Germany to counteract the London six-power decisions on Western Germany, the Russian German news agency, ADN, announced officially today.

Ulbricht proposed the plan to be put into operation for the years 1949 to 1950, ADN reported. His proposal did not refer to Berlin but was outlined for Eastern Germany alone. —United Press.

Major Boxer In New York

New York, June 29. Major Charles Boxer arrived here today from London with his wife, Emily Hahn.

He said he would conduct a two-month course in Oriental History at the University of Michigan this summer. —United Press.

Wallace's Formula For Crisis

Portland, Maine, June 29.

Mr. Henry Wallace today said the Russian "squeeze" on Berlin might be a move to force a peace treaty for Germany.

Mr. Wallace told the press that if he were President, he would handle the present situation in Berlin by requesting a German peace conference with Russia. He said such a conference should work out a treaty providing for the withdrawal of all troops from Germany within a year.

"I think Stalin would agree to the conference. I don't defend the Russian methods, but I would assume the latest Russian move might be a move to try and force a peace treaty."

He called the United States foreign policy "dangerous." —United Press.

Communist Chorus Of Hate

London, June 29.

The Communist Parties of Europe hastened today to join the Cominform attack on Marshal Tito of Yugoslavia and expressed the hope that "healthy elements" of Yugoslavia would come out on top.

The Bulgarian, French and Italian Communist Parties all formally voted approval of the Cominform action.

Bulgaria's Communists said, "The sound Communist forces of Yugoslavia will triumph." Their Party newspaper, Rabotnischko Delo, commented: "The Bulgarian Communist Party solidly believes in the healthy elements in the Yugoslav Communist Party and will do everything possible to help the Yugoslav Party so that the brotherly relations between the Bulgarian and Yugoslav peoples will not be broken."

In Prague, the Socialist newspaper, Svobodne Slovo, which previously had only praise for "brotherly Yugoslavia," pointed out some Czech difficulties in past negotiations with Yugoslavia. —United Press.

Duclos Approves

Paris, June 29. Jacques Duclos, Secretary of the French Communist Party, was quoted in a Communist-line paper last night as having "completely and unreservedly approved" the Cominform criticism of Marshal Tito and the Yugoslav Communist Party.

Duclos was interviewed by a representative of the evening newspaper "Ce Soir." —Associated Press.

CZECH EXILES ORGANISE

New York, June 29. Exiled anti-Communist Czechoslovak leaders announced in New York last night that they intend to organize for the restoration of democracy in their homeland. —Associated Press.

Despatches from Belgrade, however, said that everything was outwardly normal in the capital and that the Government appeared to be in full control.

Marshal Tito's whereabouts remained a mystery, one report saying he had returned to Belgrade from his summer palace at Bled, and another saying he had gone to Moscow. Government leaders who would know were silent.

Here are some of the rumours: 1. A report from Kozano, in Greece, said a heavy machinegun and mortar fire was heard on Monday night inside Yugoslavia, north of Florina. One source said it was believed a big battle was under way between Yugoslav units near the Greek frontier. The same source said one Yugoslav battalion was ready to cross the Greek border to seek refuge.

2. In Rome, the Conservative newspaper Memento Sera printed an unconfirmed report from Vienna that Soviet troops from Rumania had crossed the Danube into Yugoslavia. The supposed troop movement was said to have taken place across newly-built Danube bridges at a point only a few miles from Belgrade.

3. Rome also heard a rumour that Soviet troops were advancing from Bulgaria through Serbia toward Belgrade.

4. Rome's press came up with the name of Marshal Tito's possible successor, Moshé Pijade, identified as an old guard Yugoslav Communist, will be the man who will try to wrest power

DUTY TO HELP THE SOVIET

London, June 29.

All reference to the events in Yugoslavia was avoided by Signor Pietro Nenni, the Italian Socialist leader, who favours cooperation with the Communists, when he addressed delegates to the Italian Socialist Party Congress in Genoa today.

He told the delegates that he favoured the closest cooperation with the Communists for a United front against world capitalism, as exemplified by the Marshall Plan.

"If ever the Soviet Union is endangered internally or externally, it is the duty of all true democrats to go to her help," he said.

The general view is that the centre motion of "three resolutions before the Congress" concerning a cautious middle-of-the-road policy, will be accepted. —Reuter.

Lathey Pacific

"THE AIRLINE OF THE ORIENT"

Departures every Monday & Friday BANGKOK-SINGAPORE DIRECT CONNECTION for RANGOON & CALCUTTA every MONDAY Frequent Flights for MANILA.



HONG KONG TO SYDNEY
Next Flight — 10th July
HONG KONG/MACAO SERVICE

Give yourself a change
Fly to Macao next weekend
It's quick! It's safe! It's cheap!

Departures every:
FRIDAY, SATURDAY, SUNDAY & MONDAY

Passenger Booking Agents
P. J. LOBO & CO., LTD.
Chater Road Tel. 31102 & 31400 Kln. Office Tel. 56290

HARRIMAN REALTY CO., LTD.

REAL ESTATE BROKERS AND VALUERS
"COME TO US FOR ADVICE"
ALL TYPES INDUSTRIAL & DOMESTIC PROPERTIES
201 Victory House Wyndham Street, Tel. 33602, Telegrams "Harriman"

Speed-Reliability-Comfort



Twice Weekly

Every Saturday and Wednesday
Leave Manila 10 p.m.

Every Sunday and Thursday
Arrive San Francisco 4 p.m.

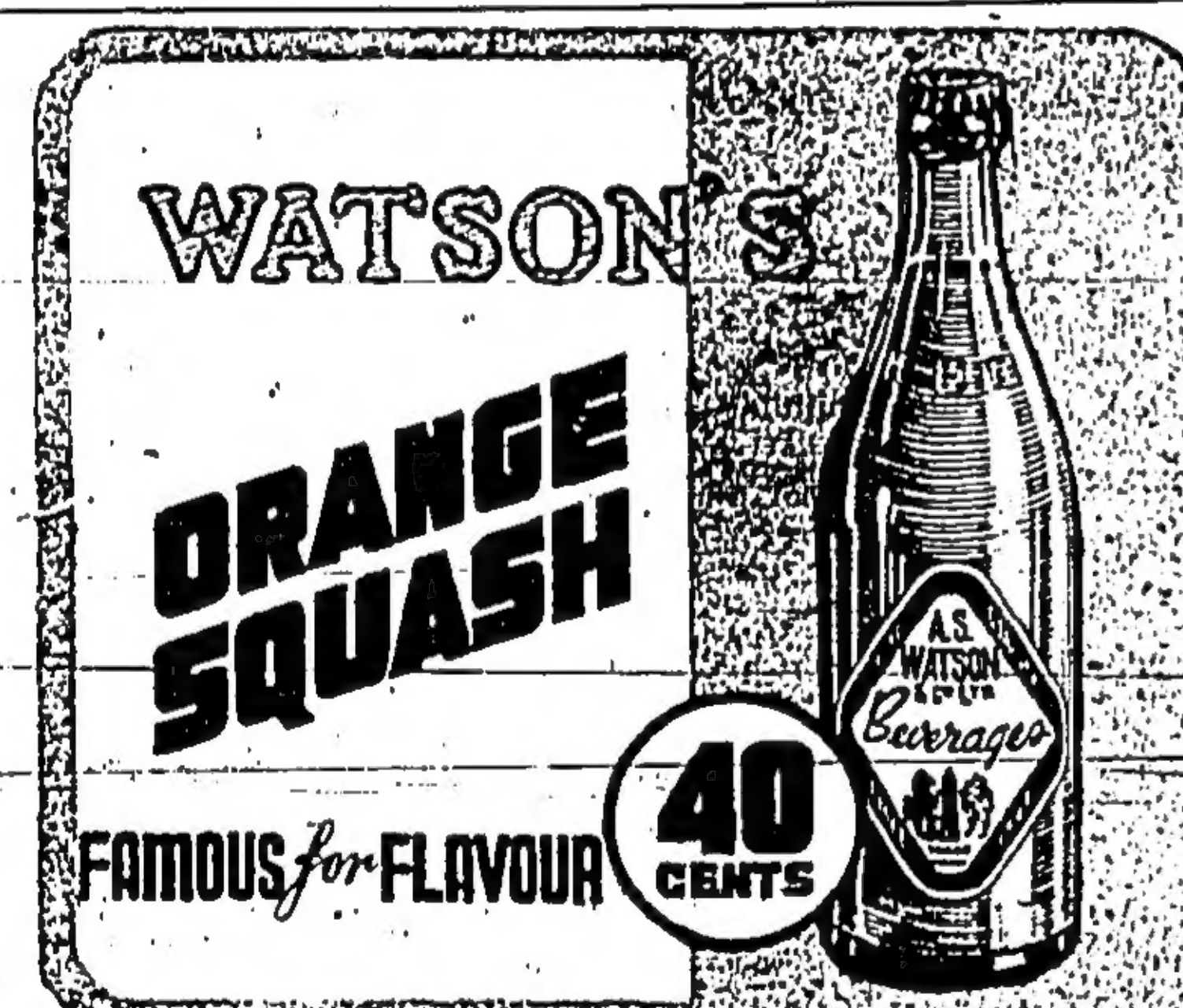
Our luxury DC-4 Skymaster will carry you from Hong Kong to Manila where immediately connection is made with our new super DC-6 Service

33 1/2 flying hours from Hong Kong to San Francisco

FOR INFORMATION

Telephone: 58330 Main Booking Office, 58277 Freight Office or Recognized Travel Agents

PHILIPPINE AIR LINES INC.



Fine Quality Since 1841

Friends will admire your hair...



Vaseline HAIR TONIC
ENDS DRY SCALP

Sole Agents:
JARDINE MATHESON & CO., LTD.
Obtainable at all leading Comprodores & Dispensaries

HENLEY CABLES

FAMOUS FOR OVER A CENTURY

Sole Agents:

THE JARDINE ENGINEERING CORPORATION LTD.

14-16 PEDDER STREET, HONG KONG.
TELEPHONE 30311.

The **SINCERE Co. Ltd.**
HONGKONG'S GREAT DEPARTMENT STORE

SOLE AGENTS

FOR

Farnsworth RADIOS

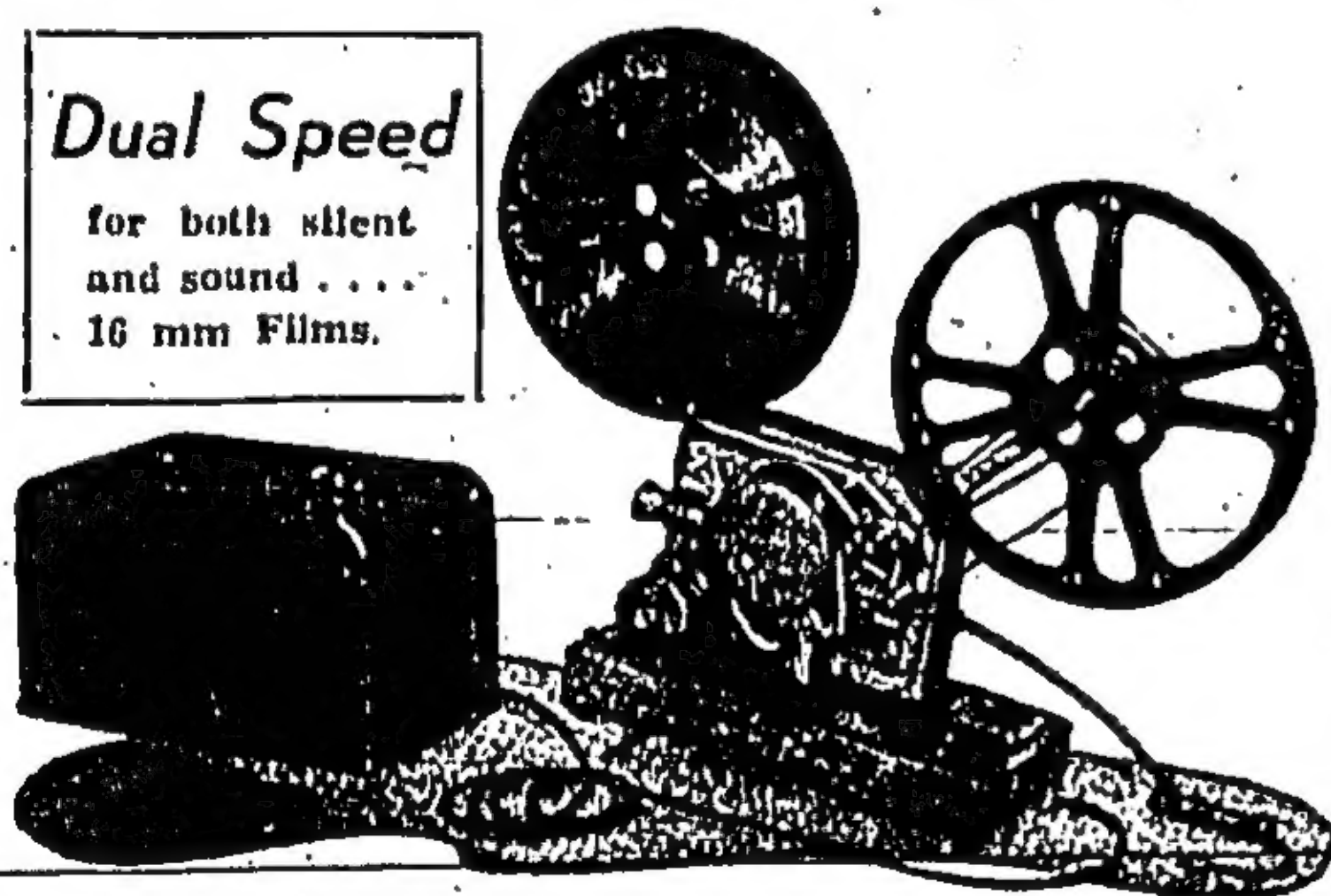
KNOWN FOR TONE

The Ideal Light-Weight, Lowest-priced & Reliable Projector

for use in...

- HOME
- SCHOOLS
- CHURCHES
- OFFICES
- FACTORIES
- CLUBS

Dual Speed
for both silent
and sound...
16 mm Films.



16 mm. SOUND-ON-FILM

MOVIE - MITE PROJECTOR

Portable... Weighs only 27½ lbs. complete. Single case contains everything needed for operation... projector, speaker, table top screen, cords, take-up reel, and has extra space for lamp and incidentals.

Movie-Mite is made of best quality die-cast and precision machined parts. Simplicity is the outstanding feature. In threading, only one moving part need be operated. Show can be on screen in 3 minutes.

Reel capacity 2000 ft. Fast power rewind... adjustable tilt... quickly adjusted framing device... utilizes a single, inexpensive standard projection lamp for both picture and sound projection... no separate exciter lamp necessary. Durable plywood case, leatherette covered.

INSPECTION WELCOMED

Sole Distributors: **STARLITE FILMS** Rm. 339, Wang Hing Bldg., 3rd Fl.
10, Queen's Rd., C. (Tel. 33033)

16 MM SOUND/SILENT FILMS • SALE • RENTAL & EXCHANGE • CINE SERVICE



ENGINEERING PAGE ALUMINIUM ALLOYS FOR STRENGTH AND LIGHTNESS

By D. COURTNEY-EMBLEY

Many of the light alloys evolved during World War II proved themselves time and again in the rigorous conditions imposed by aircraft requirements, and, as developed and improved in more recent years, have established for themselves a place among the best known materials for engineering and general utilitarian applications.

When the world began to recover in 1945, the attention of the Aluminium industry was focused on aircraft production, which could not have progressed with such strides if its engineers and designers had not had at their disposal the numerous Aluminium alloys now known so much for granted. Towards the close of the war came the switch from internal combustion to jet-propulsion engines, which was materially aided by the availability of the R. R. series of alloys, designed to operate under great stress at elevated temperatures.

Such components as rotor drums, stator casings, impellers and turbine blades, are all specified in these alloys, which are also used for structural members such as under-carriages, struts, control levers, etc.

Enormous Field

Once released from war-time contracts and constraints, the manufacturers of Aluminium alloys in Britain looked around them, studied the blue-prints of many possible peace-time products and wondered what to do next. Their hesitation was due largely to the enormous field now open to them, for it would be largely true to say that almost everything which has until now been made in a heavier, more

ELECTRIC PLANT

G. and J. Weir Limited, of Cathcart, Glasgow, Scotland, have received from the Netherlands Government a £500,000 order, to be paid in United States dollars, for the largest individual contract ever placed with the firm. One section of the plant is to be erected in Curacao, and the other at Aruba, both island sites of vast oil refineries off the north-west coast of Venezuela.

In the past 25 years, Weirs have delivered and erected many plants in these islands and this important new contract is a valuable tribute to Scottish engineering.

Practically all the work will be carried out in the west of Scotland. The boilers will be made by Babcock & Wilcox at Renfrew and the structural engineering carried out by A. & J. Main & Company Limited at Possilpark.

corrosive or more brittle material, could be better made in light alloy. Loss of weight without material loss of strength is, after gain to most manufacturers, and non-corrosive light alloys are as useful for large or complicated machine parts as they are for the simplest tools and accessories of everyday life.

Prominent among present-day materials with a history of development and research extending over twenty years, is the "Hiduminium" R.R. series of Aluminium alloys produced by High Duty Alloys Ltd., Slough, Bucks, one of the largest British concerns in the field, manufacturing light alloys in all cast and wrought forms. Each of the "Hiduminium" alloys has been developed to yield specific qualities under conditions which vary according to application, but all share the common characteristics of lightness combined with high strength and corrosion resistance, ease of machining and fabrication, and a bright, pleasant appearance.

Light Alloy House

Today there is a wide and constantly growing field of commercial applications, some of which it may be worth while to review.

The light alloy house with its planned kitchen unit, its modern bathroom, built-in cupboard and ingenious use of space and materials is, of course, well known. In addition, and of particular interest to builders, is the recent range of outside water-pipes, gutters and similar fittings now being made in Aluminium alloys. These offer many advantages over other materials. Their low weight, only one-third that of cast-iron, makes them easy to handle and simple to fit, with consequent savings in labour and transport overheads. This lightness is achieved without loss of strength, and risks of breakage either in transit or on site are reduced to a minimum. The fittings are not subject to fracture by blows or freezing.

conditions and their high natural corrosion resistance and pleasing appearance makes painting unnecessary in normal atmospheres.

Accurate production control ensures complete uniformity of shape and size and each item is therefore an exact fit. Because they are so light and strong, light alloy fittings are easy to transport. One lorry can carry sufficient rainwater goods for 170 six-roomed houses without being overloaded. Scaffolding, too, is now being made in Aluminium alloys and this is another field where the lightness and resistance to corrosion gives it a great advantage over steel.

Many manufacturers of pre-cast concrete products have now switched to the use of Aluminium alloy moulds, which are fast superseding the types previously manufactured in timber or steel.

While timber has the advantage that with very little equipment in the way of machinery, moulds can be made suitable to most requirements, the life of a timber mould seldom exceeds a hundred uses with ordinary concrete and fewer than ten uses can be expected where found is used. Maintenance charges on timber moulds are also very high and necessitate employing skilled joiners who are today difficult to get. Here again, the main advantages of Aluminium alloys are their lightness and ability to stand up to hard use over a long period. Such moulds are being widely used in the manufacture of slabs, pillars and pre-stressed structures, piping, lamp standards, etc.

Bobbins And Accessories

For many years there has been a need for bobbing and accessories which they offer and which are unobtainable in any other equivalent materials.

Laundrying With Pressure Waves

By MICHAEL GRANT

Scientists in Britain have found a way of cleaning fabrics without soap or detergent. The new process is also better than ordinary washing since it eliminates the heavy water in laundrying caused by abrasion by grit.

The new process uses faster-than-sound waves to do the laundrying. Very high-frequency pressure waves are generated by a transducer, an instrument which converts electrical energy

into pressure waves—in this case water waves. The transducer is so small that it can be put in one's pocket. The experiments which led to the discovery of this system were carried out at the Mullard Electric Research Laboratories, Salford, near Redhill, Surrey, England. Two pieces of a "dirty laboratory overall" were used, one soaped and the other not. They were immersed in separate tanks of water and a transducer, put into each tank. Both were clean after treatment, the only difference being that the soaped material was whiter than the unsoaped.

The exact frequency of waves which must be used to ensure 100 per cent dirt extraction from materials without damaging the fabric has yet to be determined. It has been found by experiment that if the power used is too great, or the frequency too high, the fabrics themselves begin to break; but once this factor is known cleaning of materials can be undertaken with complete confidence. The discovery is still in the research stage, and no apparatus has yet been made for the market. When perfected, the system will be first used only in laundries; apparatus for home washing will come at a later stage.

Fluorescent Lighting

The excellent colour rendering of Mazda fluorescent lamps is finding new applications. In particular, printing, photographic and milk testing processes have benefited from the "daylight" illumination provided by these lamps. The Mazda mercury vapour electric discharge lamp has proved useful in photographic printing and the production of blue-prints, while another type of the same lamp is now being used in colour photography.

The makers, The British Thomson-Houston Company Limited, have now developed industrial and commercial fittings so that any part of a factory or office can be suitably lighted. As a precautionary measure the latest fittings, which provide "daylight" illumination under-ground, have safety switches in the circuit. These switches are spring-loaded. Immediately the lamp is fractured they open and isolate the fitting from the mains supply. The recently developed coal-face lighting fitting may be moved forward to work at the coal-face progress.

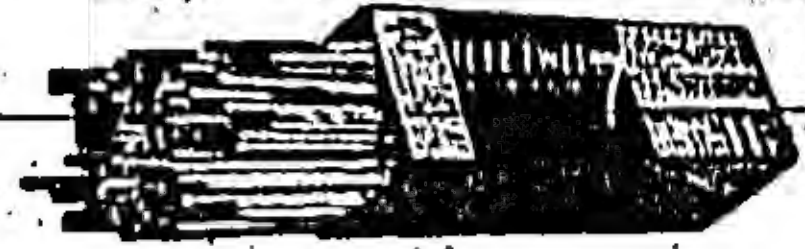
Fluorescent street lighting has been installed by the British Thomson-Houston Company Limited in many towns and cities in Britain and there is an ever increasing demand for such lighting overseas.

The new Mazda 250 watt infra-red lamp is the latest development in the application of infra-red radiation to industrial processes. As an inspection bulb of the bulb is coated with aluminium. This obviates the need for an external reflector and ensures the maximum concentration of radiant energy from the filament.

New Polish And Air Safety

After investigation into the causes of several serious air crashes it has been found that the aluminium structure of the aircraft had corroded under an apparently intact layer of paint. As a result it was decided that all aircraft of this metal type had to be polished instead of painted. A new aluminium polish, developed by J. Goddard and Sons Limited, Leicester, England, produces a bright finish with almost negligible wear; it is free from electrolytes which contribute to corrosion, and is also a degreasing agent, removing paint and exhaust trails from the aluminium. A polished aluminium aircraft, too, is faster than a painted one, and lighter—by the weight of two passengers. A closer inspection of the structure is possible and defects can be more easily detected before they lead to disaster.

THE LINCOLN SHIELD ARC WELDER'S WELDING EQUIPMENT FLEETWELD ELECTRODES



STOCKS CARRIED

BY

J. P. INGLIS & SONS LTD.
CORNER CHATHAM and MATAUWEI RD.
KOWLOON. TEL. NO. 58954.

Representative For South China and Hong Kong
THE LINCOLN ELECTRIC CO.
AUSTRALIA, PTY. LTD.

GOODYEAR TRANSMISSION RUBBER BELTING

VARIOUS SIZES

STOCK AVAILABLE

FOR PARTICULARS:

Apply to:

Messrs. D. ESSES,

4A Des Voeux Rd., C., 2nd fl., Room No. 1.

or phone: 20990

GENERAL MOTORS CORP.

DIESEL DIVISION

"71" SERIES

GENERATING SET.

INDUSTRIAL POWER UNIT.

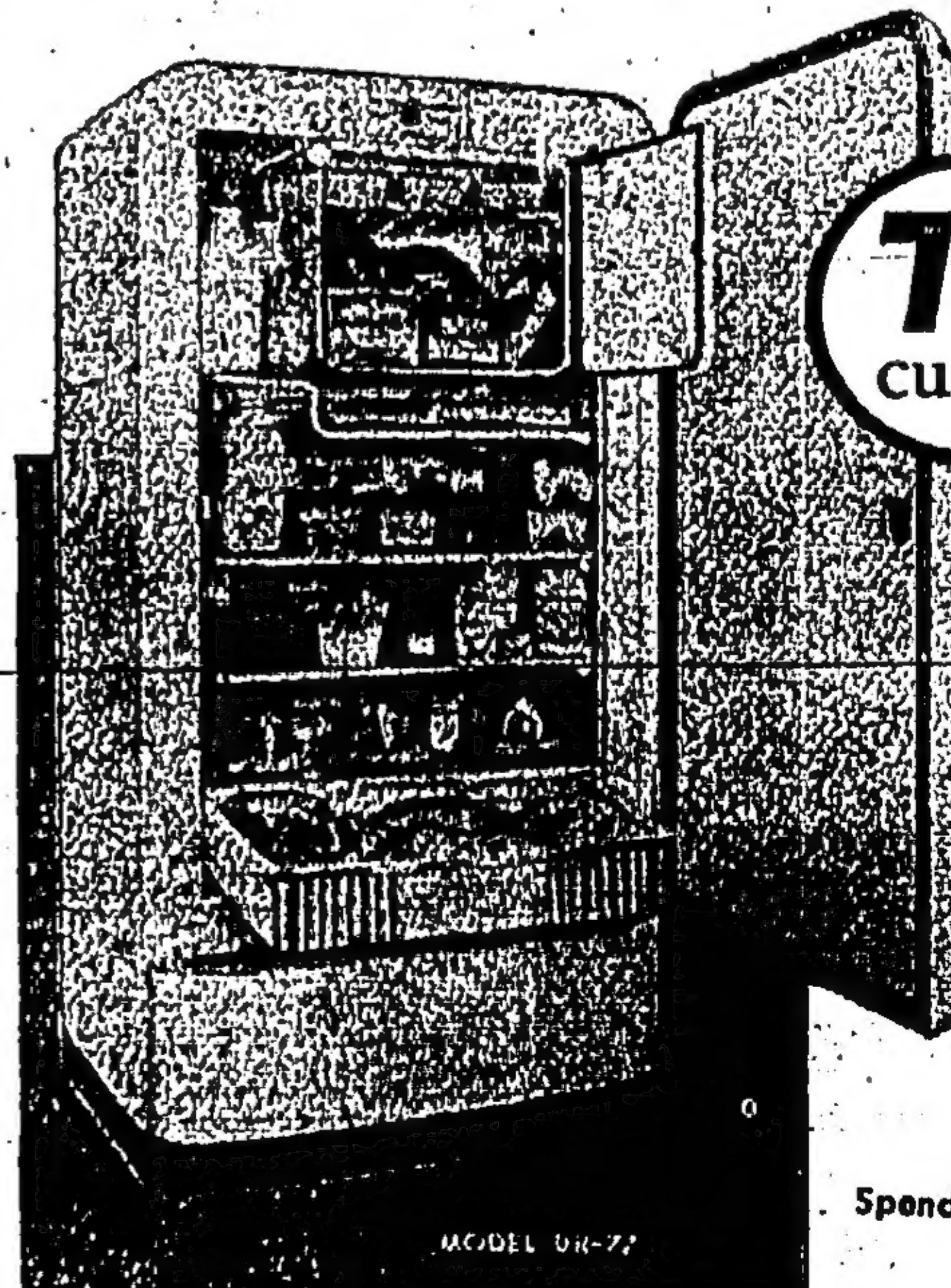
MARINE PROPULSION ENGINE.

Sole Distributors For—
SOUTH CHINA, HONG KONG & MACAO**JANAN DEVELOPMENT CORP.**

Room 511, China Building, Queen's Road, C. Tel: 21693

THE NEW ELECTRIC COOLERATOR

Kitchen-Saver!

MORE SPACE INSIDE...
TAKES LESS OUTSIDE7¾
cu. ft.

Impossible? Not at all! It's the result of this Coolerator model's compact, streamlined design. (Note its dimensions.) And this has been accomplished without reducing the thickness of the insulation.

More food storage there is what women want most in a new refrigerator. But they run into the problem of fitting the average seven or eight cu. ft. model into an already crowded kitchen. It's too wide or too high.

To answer this, Coolerator engineers have developed a 7¾ cu. ft. electric refrigerator that will fit into small kitchens and apartments. Complete in every respect, it has a 2½ lb. built-in freezer food locker with a separate shelf for three ice cube trays, two special tall-bottle shelves, a big fruit and vegetable crisp-o-plate, defrosting tray and an interior light. Operated by a hermetically-sealed "Econ-O-Miser" freezing unit, it has three zones of cold.

Truly, you'll get the MOST for your money when you buy a Coolerator DK-77!

Spend less time shopping...

STOCKS AVAILABLE

THE PRICE NO HIGHER THAN AN ORDINARY REFRIGERATOR.

E. OTT & CO., LTD.

FRENCH BANK BUILDING

"BROADWOOD"PIANOFORTE MANUFACTURERS TO
BRITISH SOVEREIGNS FROM GEORGE II.

BRITAIN'S FINEST PIANO

NEW MODELS IN STOCK

SOLE AGENTS

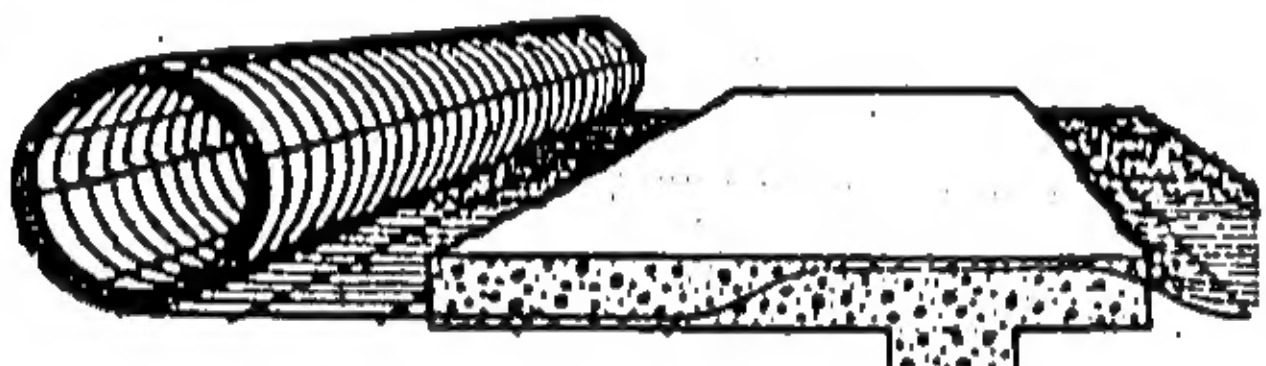
MOUTRIE & CO., (HK) LTD.

15 CHATER RD.

PHONE 20527

**BRC
FABRIC**ELECTRICALLY CROSS-WELDED
STEEL WIRE MESH
IN ROLLS OR SHEETS

FOR CONCRETE REINFORCEMENT



Stock Available

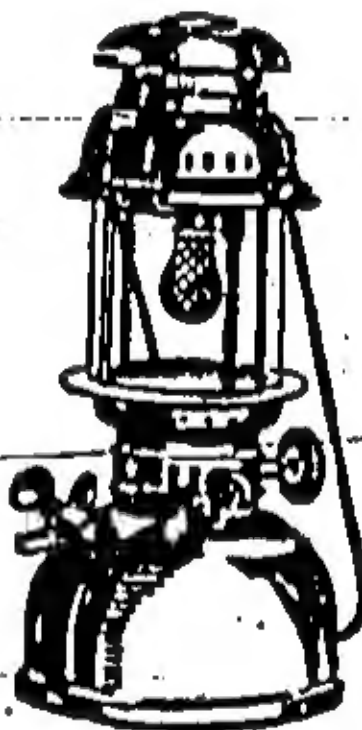
DAVIE, BOAG & CO., LTD.

Chartered Bank Bldg.

Tel. 28117

Agents for—

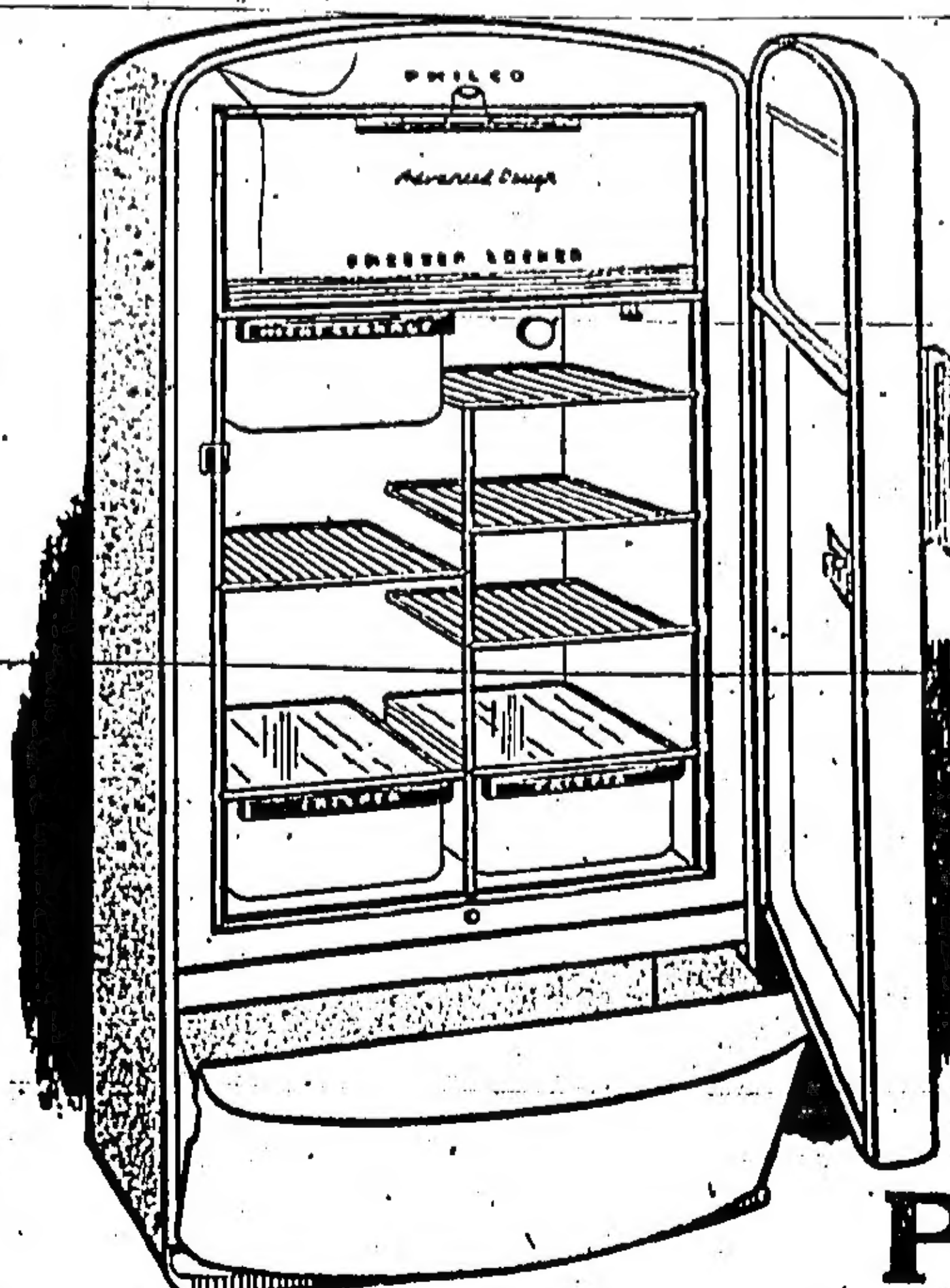
BRITISH REINFORCED CONCRETE ENG. CO. LTD.



Enlighten Your Night With

**UNION METAL WORKS LTD.**

17 Kavanagh Building

See
the New
Advanced
Design**PHILCO
REFRIGERATOR**

Distributors:

GILMAN & COMPANY LTD.

Refrigeration Department

Gloucester Arcade

**ANGLO-AMERICAN RELATIONS:
NO OPEN DEFENCE AGREEMENT
ATTLEE QUERIED
IN COMMONS**

London, June 29.
The Prime Minister, Mr. Clement Attlee, today denied the existence of any Anglo-American agreement for defence against Soviet Russia. Mr. Attlee told the House of Commons during question period, "There is no defence agreement between the British Government and the United States Government, although relations between Services and Staffs are close and cordial."

Mr. Konrad Zilliacus, Left Wing member of the Labour Party, had asked Mr. Attlee whether his announcement of March 8 still held good—that war between this country and either the United States or Russia could equally be disregarded in considering British policy.

Mr. Zilliacus also asked for assurance that the Anglo-American agreement for joint action in case of hostilities with the Soviet Union in Berlin or elsewhere did not oblige Britain to

go to war if the United States entered into military conflict with the Soviets.

Mr. Attlee replied: "The policy of His Majesty's Government in regard to security continues to be based on our obligations under the Charter of the United Nations organization. I cannot undertake to say in advance how these obligations will operate if an act of aggression occurred."

Regional Pacts

"Meanwhile, the British Government naturally reserves the right to conclude arrangements for national defence, based on Article 51 of the Charter. Regional arrangements for defence already exist in Eastern Europe."

Mr. Zilliacus pressed Mr. Attlee: "Are you aware that the arrangements referred to in these two countries are regarded in the United States as automatically committing this country to go to war if the United States were to go to war with the Soviet Union in any part? Is that impression correct?"

Mr. Attlee: "I am not aware that that impression is prevalent in the United States. The Deputy Opposition leader, Mr. Anthony Eden, raised a laugh by asking whether Mr. Attlee had any information as to how defence arrangements were working in Southeast Europe."

Mr. Attlee did not reply.—United Press.

**British
Interests
In Burma**

London, June 29.
Prime Minister Clement Attlee today received at No. 10 Downing Street a deputation from the Burma Chamber of Commerce.

The deputation wished to ascertain what steps His Majesty's Government proposed to take with regard to compensation for war damage suffered by British interests in Burma and for the nationalisation of British interests in Burma by the Government of the Union of Burma.

Mr. Attlee, who was accompanied by Sir Stafford Cripps, Hector McNell and Lord Listowel, explained the attitude of His Majesty's Government to these problems.

The members of the deputation were: J. K. Mehta (Chairman of the Home Committee of the Burma Chamber of Commerce); Sir Kenneth Harner (Chairman, Burma Oil Co., Ltd.); Sir Maurice Denny (Chairman, Irrawaddy Flotilla Co., Ltd.); W. G. Lely (Director, Wallace Brothers and Co., Ltd.)—Associated Press.

CEYLON AND U.N.

Lake Success, June 29.
The Membership Committee of the United Nations today approved an application by Ceylon for membership of the United Nations.

Full support of the application came from the Argentine, Belgium, China, Canada, Colombia, France, Syria, Great Britain and the United States.

The Soviet and Ukraine delegates postponed their discussion of the application and reserved the right to state their views in the Security Council later.—Reuter.

**A Grave
Situation**

New York, June 29.
The Republican Presidential candidate, Mr. Thomas Dewey, said today that the Russian blockade of the American, British and French sectors of Berlin constituted "a grave situation."

Asked if he thought the situation might lead to war, Dewey replied: "We must not even consider such possibilities."

The Third Party Presidential candidate, Mr. Henry Wallace, in an interview at Portland, Maine, said: "I do not defend Russian methods, the important thing is to get together and have a peace conference at once."—Reuter.

**BEAUTY
CONTESTS
"PAGAN"**

Wheeling, W. Va., June 29.
Miss Marluth Ford, 18-year-old girl who wants to be an actress, today won a beauty contest which she entered despite a threat of excommunication from the Roman Catholic Church.

With the title "Miss Wheeling of 1948," she is now eligible to compete for the title "Miss West Virginia" contest, and if she wins she can enter the "Miss America" contest.

Bishop Swint of the Wheeling diocese forbade Catholic girls to enter the contest on the grounds that beauty contests are "immoral, indecent exposure and totally pagan."

The contest sponsors cabled the Pope to lift the ban but had not yet received an answer.—United Press.

**Deserters
Take Tanks
With Them**

Haifa, June 29.
Lieutenant-General G. H. A. MacMillan refused to attend a farewell banquet in his honour today when the theft of two British Churchill tanks from Haifa Airport was discovered.

He said the Jews were responsible for the theft.

Mr. Cyril Marriott, British Consul-General in Haifa, reported the theft to the United Nations' observer headquarters and claimed it constituted a breach of the truce by the Jews.

General MacMillan and 10 staff officers refused to attend the banquet offered by the Mayor and Town Councilors of Haifa.

While demolition squads were blowing up the last immovable stores before the Army quits Palestine, Royal Air Force planes hovered over the roads searching for the missing tanks.

A third tank, stolen from the heavily-guarded Haifa airport, was found stranded on the road a mile from the airport after a mechanical breakdown.

A British staff officer said that two men of the 4th/7th Dragoons Guards disappeared at the same time as the tanks and may have deserted, taking the tanks with them.—Reuter.

**Accused
Had A
Bible**

Delhi, June 29.
The Hindu who allegedly shot Gandhi supplied a bible today for swearing-in as a Christian witness before giving testimony in the trial of eight persons accused of the Mahatma's slaying.

C. Pacheco, Anglo-Indian manager of a New Delhi hotel, was not permitted to testify in the trial at the Red Fort until he swore on the bible.

Judge Atmasharan asked: "Is there no bible in Red Fort?" V. Godse arose in dock. "I have a bible in my room," he told the court.

A court assistant was sent to get it.—Associated Press.

Washington, June 29.
An exchange of notes between Britain and the United States confirming agreement on the decision to extend "most favoured nation" treatment to Western Germany and Trieste was officially announced in Washington today.—Associated Press.

**BERNADOTTE MISSION
A FAILURE?**

Cairo, June 29.

Responsible Arab circles here believed tonight that Count Folke Bernadotte's proposals for a settlement in Palestine would be rejected because they fail to meet the Arab aims.

The Ekiypan press today expressed fears that Count Bernadotte's peace mission would fail, and described tonight's Arab League Political Committee meeting as the most important since the truce.

The Arab Premier here, and the Jewish State authorities in Tel Aviv, were tonight considering the proposals.

The Prime Ministers of Egypt, Syria, Iraq, The Lebanon and Transjordan were to decide whether the four-week truce, due to expire on July 9, "need be extended or not," according to the Secretary-General of the League, Abdul Rahman Azam Pasha. Azam Pasha had said five days ago: "We shall not now agree to extending the truce."

War Again?
Today he gave it as his personal opinion that the fighting in the Holy Land would resume after July 9 if the present proposals had not led to a final settlement by then, but that the talks would continue at the same time.

Arab experts, back here from Rhodes, the mediator's headquarters, expressed uneasiness over the form of the present proposals. Arab League sources repeated that no settlement would be possible if the Swedish Count called for the recognition of a Jewish State.

A reliable Arab source said that the proposals are in the form of alternative suggestions "but all imply the existence of a

**BISHOPS TO
VISIT MOSCOW**

Beirut, June 29.

Responding to Moscow's invitation to attend ceremonies in memory of the foundation of the Independent Russian Church, the Orthodox Patriarch delegated Bishops Alexandros Jeon and Ilya Karam. Archdeacon Samaha, to represent the Patriarchate.

The delegates will carry to Josef Stalin a present consisting of his portrait in beautiful silk embroidery with incense and oil. The delegation left for Moscow this morning.—Associated Press.

**PACIFIC ISLAND
TRUSTEESHIPS**

Lake Success, June 29.

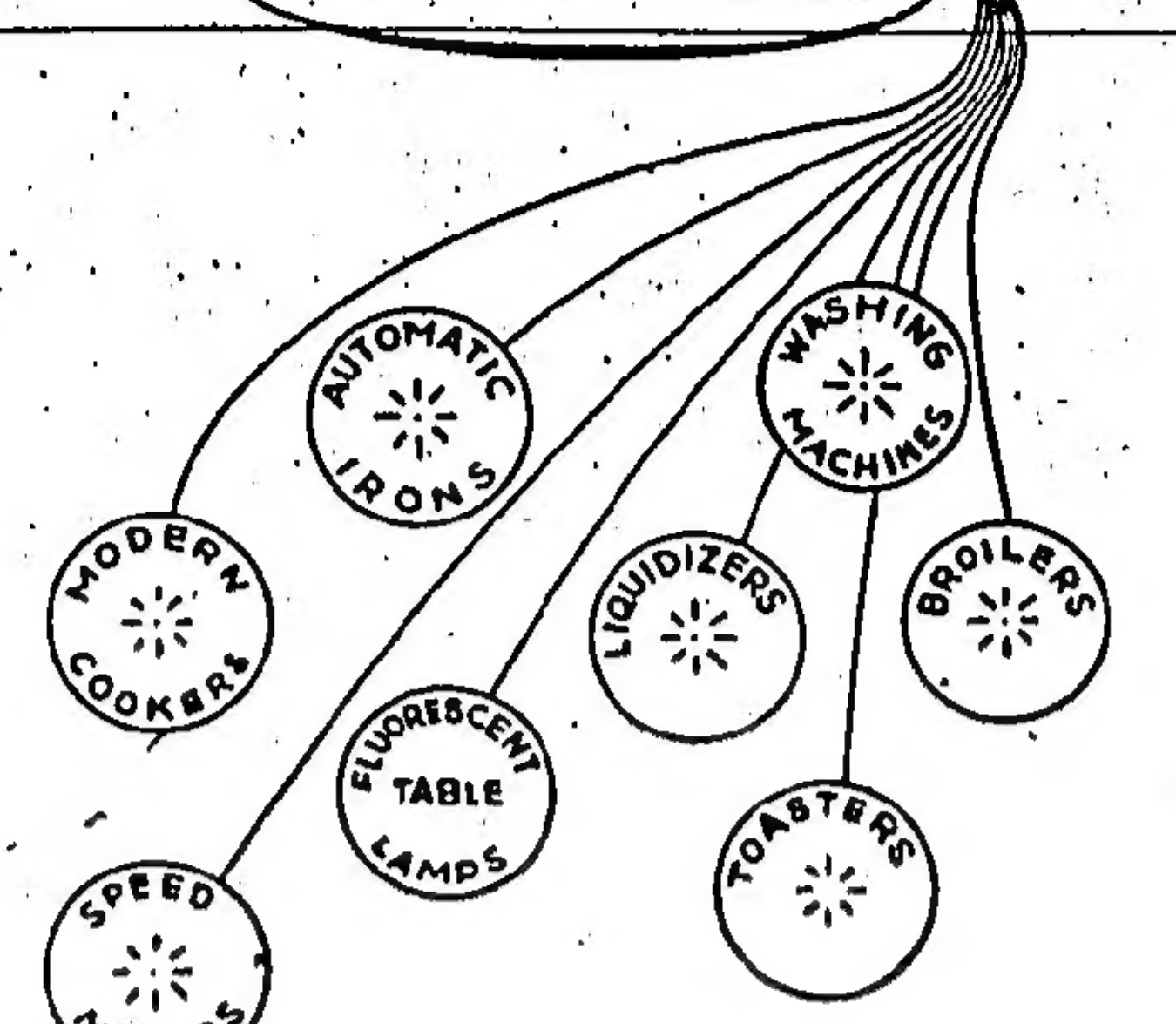
The United States today offered to keep the United Nations Trusteeship Council informed of administration plans for its Pacific Island trusts if other nations holding United Nations trusts matched the offer.

The United States' Francis Sayre said the United States would notify the United Nations if the islands were federated with United States possessions in the Pacific.

The former Japanese mandated islands are under the direction of the Security Council, where the United States has the veto.

Britain, Belgium and Australia immediately rejected the offer. Mr. Sayre warned the Council that federations of trust territories and colonies may hinder the progress of trust territories to self-government. He referred specifically to the British joint

United Press.

**ELECTRICAL
APPLIANCES**

Obtainable at

GILMAN & COMPANY LTD.
Gloucester Arcade Telephone 27017**INSURANCE**

ALL CLASSES

ALEX. ROSS & CO., (CHINA) LTD.

Windsor House

Phone 20027.

Sun Glasses

First Quality

Scientifically made in
CROOKES * CRUXITE * CALOBAR

Really glare-proof!

Genuine plain also to Prescription.

Chinese Optical Co.

67, Queen's Road, C.

Tel. 23368

**FRESH'ND-AIRE
CIRCULATORS**LATEST WONDER IN
AIR - CONDITIONING &
AIR - COOLING

TRULY AMAZING COOLING EFFECT

INEXPENSIVE, ATTRACTIVE, EFFICIENT,
NO INSTALLATION COSTS, LOW RUNNING
EXPENSES.A Fresh'nd-Aire Circulator combines
efficiency with streamlined appearance.In a home or in an office it is an attractive
piece of modern furniture, and enables you
to do away with overhead fans which dis-
figure ceilings.Unlike ceiling fans which are merely
thrashing the air, Fresh'nd-Aire Circulators
create a gentle natural breeze by setting in
motion the mass of air throughout the room!GUARANTEED 10 YEARS AGAINST
MECHANICAL DEFECTS

MADE IN U.S.A.

AVAILABLE NOW FOR EARLY DELIVERY.

Sole Distributors

K. CAUDRON & CO.

French Bank Bldg.

Phone 27538





Entrust Your
Beauty to

Elizabeth Arden

The smart girl plans now to look lovelier years hence... Uses the famous Elizabeth Arden Essentials night and morning to cleanse, tone and nourish... prefers Elizabeth Arden's Superlative make-up... knows that the best preparation for an economy in the end.

Agent: Lane Crawford Ltd., Import & Export Dept.

Obtainable at:
Victoria Dispensary, King's Dispensary, Paquerette, Deion's Beauty Parlour,
China Emporium, Shanghai Co., Peninsula Store, Kowloon and
Lane Crawford's Perfumery Dept.

DRINK

San Miguel
Pale Pilsen

THE BEER

STOCKED BY ALL LEADING HOTELS,
CLUBS, RESTAURANTS AND STORES.

BREWED & BOTTLED BY

San Miguel Brewery Hongkong Ltd

Telephone 28604.

APBS.

Freshen up with —
50-50

Sole Agents:—
DENNIS & CO., LTD.

5th floor, Holland House
Obtainable from all
Leading Stores.

VARIETIES:—

Orange
Lemon
Lime
Lemon-Barley Water.
Fifty-Fifty
(Orange Lemon)
Etc.

26
DRINKS FROM
ONE BOTTLE



A KIA-ORA PRODUCT

MR. CHURCHILL ATTACKED "Violent Prejudice" Against India NEW DELHI REPLY TO LUTON SPEECH

New Delhi, June 29.

Vallabhbhai Patel, Home Minister to the Indian Government, said in a statement today that if the British Government "wish India to maintain friendly relations with Great Britain, they must see that India is in no way subjected to malicious and venomous attacks and they must learn to speak of India in terms of friendship and goodwill."

He was replying to Mr. Churchill's remarks on India at Saturday's Conservative Party rally at Luton.

"We have been patient far too long with such unseemly, prejudiced and mischievous attacks by highly placed Britishers on the Indian Administration leaders and people," his statement continued.

CATHOLICS WERE WELL TREATED SAY REDS

Shanghai, June 30.

The Chinese Communist radio from North Shensi said today that stories of ill-treatment of Catholics, missionaries, priests and nuns were not true and the United Press in particular has not done right in quoting a Catholic spokesman who accused the Reds of atrocities.

The broadcast carried a purported letter sent by a group of 25 Chinese and foreign sisters of the Convent of Precious Blood to the Communists, which, according to the Reds, "expressed thanks for the services and protection afforded to them by the democratic government" in releasing them at Shensi and providing them with escort to Tientsin.

The letter, according to the Red Radio, described their wonderful journey and the sisters said that "although we are far from Shensi we will never forget you in our daily prayers."

The broadcast added, "It will be recalled that the United Press published a statement of a so-called Catholic spokesman to the effect that the sisters had been ill-treated. The sisters' letter, however, denied this statement."—United Press.

Chicago, June 29.

International Harvester Company plants, employing more than 35,000 workers, were closed down today by a walkout of CIO United Farm Equipment workers.—Associated Press.

US Protest To Soviet

Washington, June 29.

The United States protested to the Soviet Union today against the cutting of electricity supplies from the power plants in Russian-occupied Northern Korea to Southern Korea.

The American message was contained in a note delivered today to the Soviet Foreign Office in Moscow, the text of which was released by the State Department in Washington.—Reuter.

ORIENT'S IRON CURTAIN

San Francisco, June 29. Henry F. Grady, the United States' first Ambassador to India, declared today that Burma seems now to be behind the iron curtain, and the same prospect faces other Asiatic countries.

"There may be serious troubles ahead in the Far East," Grady told the Commonwealth Club.

"A great danger exists from subversive interests directed from outside Asia. There are always agents who play on the none too happy condition of peoples in order to get them to follow Communism."

"Recent announcements from Burma seem to indicate that country is well inside the iron curtain."

Grady, who recently completed a year's assignment in Asia, is to leave soon to become Ambassador to Greece.—Associated Press.

INDIA TAKES GURALS

New Delhi, June 29.

The Government radio said today that Indian troops have captured Gurals, communication junction 40 miles north of Srinagar, capital of Kashmir.—Associated Press.

SHELLING STORY A FABRICATION

Rhodes, June 29.

Count Folke Bernadotte's Headquarters said it had not received a protest by the Syrian Government alleging that a United States warship, on truce patrol off the Palestine shores, shelled Syrian troops.

Ralph Bunche, assistant to Count Bernadotte, special mediator for Palestine, said: "We have never heard of such a protest."

"On a matter of such importance we certainly should have if it were made," he added.

Cairo reports quoted the Syrian Interior Minister as saying that the protest was made to the United States and Count Bernadotte yesterday after the Arab lines were shelled by an American warship during a clash between Arabs and Jews two days before.

"The protest may have been lodged with Col. Thorp Bonde, Chief of the truce observers in Palestine," Bunche said, "but we have received several messages from his Headquarters in Haifa and he has not mentioned it."

"It seems to me unlikely that American warships would open fire on anyone. The Americans sent us ships for patrol on condition that they be used for observation only."

Other United Nations' sources here said no Syrian troops were near the coast at the time of the truce and pointed out that the Syrian-Palestine border is more than 20 miles inland from the Mediterranean shore.—Associated Press.

DICTATOR FOR PERU

Lima, June 29.

President Jose Bustamante Rivero today undertook to rule Peru by decree after proclaiming his assumption of extraordinary powers and announcing that the Congress would not meet on July 28 as scheduled, because it is not necessary.

The President said in a special radio speech to the country that two months of political tension have created a situation in which violence is brewing.

He charged that he had been victimized by a demagogic campaign to foment discontent by exaggerating mistakes and distorting acts of the Government.—United Press.

TEHERAN VOTE OF CONFIDENCE

Teheran, June 29.

The Majlis today gave the new Premier, Abdul Hussain Mazhar, a vote of confidence by 88 to 6 with two abstentions.

In a speech before the vote, the Premier promised more profit for Persia from the Anglo-Iranian Oil Company, recovery of the Bahrain Islands, the establishment of commercial relations with the Soviet Union and additional profit for Persia from the joint Russian and Persian eastern fisheries.—Reuter.

Bombing Of Cities Deplored

Peiping, June 30.

A movement against bombing cities in the Chinese civil war has been started by professors and students in different universities here.

The movement has arisen out of Nationalist air attacks on Kai-feng in Honan during the Red occupation in which a large number of civilians were reported killed.

One hundred and twenty-two professors issued a statement protesting against bombing of cities. Included was a lone American professor, Robert Winter of Tsinghua University. Winter who recently condemned as "stupid and ignorant" a statement by the American Consul-General in Shanghai, John Cabot, on student agitation against America's policy in Japan, joined Chinese faculty members in a signed protest against it.

Students of nine universities in Peiping radiated President Chiang Kai-shek protesting against bombing of cities and addressed an open letter asking the support of the whole country in their stand. The institutions included the Catholic Fudan University of Peiping which so far has carefully kept out of various student movements.—Associated Press.

Shanghai Curfew Renewal?

Shanghai, June 29.

The Shanghai - Woosung Garrison Command may reimpose a curfew in the Shanghai area on the grounds that the Communists are attempting to arouse the people during the present price crisis, according to the China Press today.

Military and police leaders met yesterday and adopted six resolutions for submission to the national authorities for approval. The resolutions called for measures aiming at the strictest control in the economic field and elimination of black market gold and American dollar dealings.

The China Press quoted an informed source as saying that if curfew should be introduced, it would only be a prelude to a total war system wherein economic, cultural and educational organizations would be placed under the control of the military.

This, it was said, would automatically eradicate black market manipulation and speculation.—Reuter.

DEATH MARCH CONVICTIONS

Tokyo, June 29.

Two Japanese officers who caused the deaths of thousands of Filipinos in the American Army on the Bataan Death March were today sentenced to hang by a United States Eighth Army military commission.

The officers are Major General Yoshitaka Kawane and Colonel Kurataro Hirano. Affidavits from Filipinos said some of the prisoners were tortured, shot, bayoneted and buried alive.—Reuter.

FOR E.R.P. SWEDEN VOTES

Stockholm, June 29.

All members of the Swedish Riksdag except Communists today voted in favour of a Government motion approving Sweden's participation in the European Recovery Programme.

The Foreign Minister, M. Osten Unden, said he hoped to put forward the Swedish-American bilateral Marshall Aid Agreement for Riksdag ratification later this week.—Reuter.

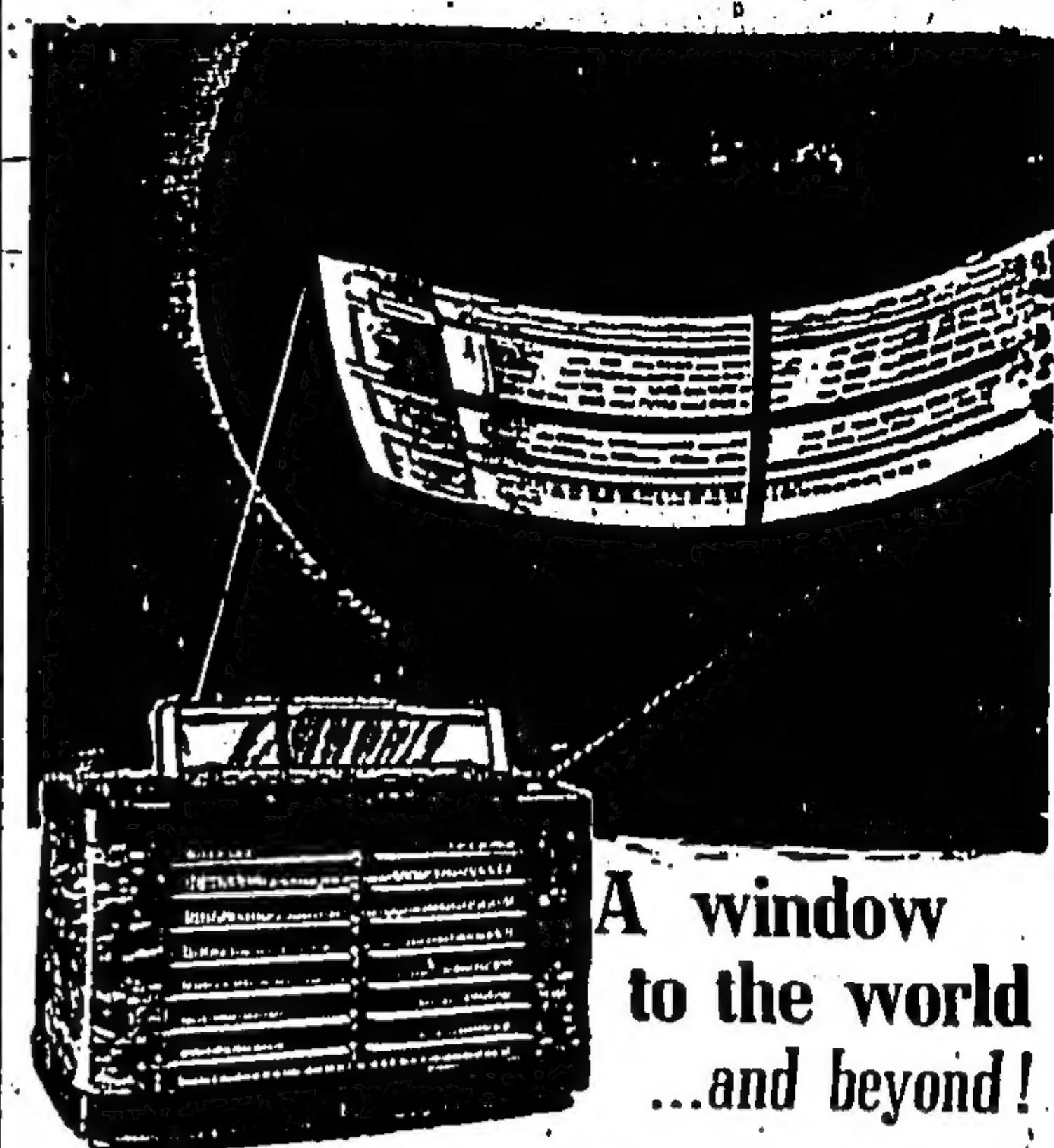
FOREIGN NEWSMEN TO TESTIFY

Nanking, June 30.

Foreign as well as Chinese news representatives will be asked to testify before the Legislative Yuan committee investigating leakage of a secret military report made by National Defence Minister Ho Ying-ching last Thursday.

The special committee was set up to investigate only the local independent Hsin Min Pao daily, but has now broadened its scope to cover all newspapers and agencies which carried the report to a secret session of the Yuan.

The decision to extend the investigation to foreign news agencies was made after the Hsin Min Pao protested against discrimination. The paper pointed out that many other papers and agencies, including foreign ones, had also carried the report.—United Press.



A window
to the world
...and beyond!

Model BX 665X has an AUTOMATIC Bandspread system of an entirely new design.

- Philips Aero Radioplayers bring you these 10 great advances:
1. AUTOMATIC BANDSPREAD
 2. SILENT TUNING
 3. THERMO COMPENSATION
 4. PADDING CORRECTION
 5. CONDUCTOR SWITCH
 6. CONTRAST EXPANSION
 7. AUTOMATIC OVERLOAD CONTROL
 8. ANTI-MICROPHONIC CONSTRUCTION
 9. TROPIC-PROOF CONSTRUCTION
 10. ILLUMINATOR DIALS

The dial on your new Philips Radioplayer is a window to the whole wide world. And beyond, too. For inside the new Philips receivers you will find all the latest developments in radio—the developments by which man has conquered space and harnessed sound, even as the airplane has conquered speed.

PHILIPS
radioplayers
MASTERS OF THE AIR

OBTAINABLE AT ALL LEADING DEALERS
SERVICE—SALES—DISTRIBUTORS

CENTRAL RADIO & ELECTRIC CO.
60, Nathan Rd. Kowloon Tel. 59814

"THE RITZ"

DINE and WINE
AT THE BEST SPOT IN TOWN.

BEST MUSIC
BEST DANCE FLOOR
BEST ATMOSPHERE

Phone 2760—For reservation.
Address: 939 King's Road.

LIFE

ISSUE OF MAY 10, 1948

IN THIS ISSUE

THE MEMOIRS OF
WINSTON CHURCHILL

NOW ON SALE

SHOULD YOU HAVE DIFFICULTY IN
SECURING A COPY — PHONE 32312

THE NEWSPAPER ENTERPRISE, LIMITED.
WINDSOR HOUSE

FASTEST DAILY SERVICE TO AND FROM MACAU

T.S.S. "MERRY MOLLER"

Leaving Hong Kong 9 a.m. Daily from Wing Lok Wharf
Leaving Macau 2.00 p.m. Daily

Times subject to alteration without notice

MOLLERS' (HONGKONG) LIMITED

Queen's Building,
HONG KONG.

THE DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP CO., LTD.

S.S. "HAIYANG"

Sailing to SWATOW & FOCHOW
5th July

FROM DOUGLAS WHARF

Subject to alteration without notice.

For Particulars of Freight & Passage, Please apply to—
DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & CO.

General Managers.

P. & O. Building, 5th floor. Tel. No. 81281

CHINESE SHIPPING DEPT.

20 Connaught Road, Central. Tel. No. 24659

BEN LINE STEAMERS LTD.

ARRIVALS

SHIP	FROM	DUE
S.S. "BENVENUE"	U.K.	16th July
S.S. "BENVENUE"	(on Maiden Voyage)	16th July
S.S. "BENDORAN"	U.K.	Early Aug.

SAILINGS

SHIP	TO	READY
S.S. "BENVENUE"	London, Antwerp, Rotterdam & Hamburg.	Early Aug.

For Further Particulars, Apply To—

W. R. LOXLEY & CO. (CHINA) LTD.

Agents

York Building

Telephone: 24168.

The SWEDISH EAST ASIATIC CO., Ltd.

OUTWARDS

M.V. BENARES	Discharging Hong Kong	14th July
M.V. NAGARA	"	Early Aug.
M.V. TRAVANCORE	"	Mid Sept.

HOMEWARDS TO EUROPE

M.V. BENARES	"	22nd July
M.V. NAGARA	"	Mid August

For

ADEN, PORT SAID, GENOA, MARSEILLES, ANTWERP, ROTTERDAM, (AMSTERDAM) COPENHAGEN, OSLO AND GOTHENBURG.

Tanks available suitable for the carriage of oil in bulk.

For further particulars apply—

GILMAN & CO., LTD.

Agents.

Tel. 31146.



ISTHMIAN LINE

(Isthmian Steamship Co. of N.Y.)

ARRIVALS

S.S. "STEEL DIRECTOR"	Discharging Hongkong	25th July
S.S. "STEEL DESIGNER"	"	early Aug.

SAILINGS TO ATLANTIC COAST

S.S. "CAPE SAN DIEGO"	loading H.K.	3rd July
S.S. "CAPE SAN MARTIN"	"	25th July

for

NEW ORLEANS, PHILADELPHIA, NEW YORK AND BOSTON

For further particulars apply—

GILMAN & CO., LTD.

Agents.

Tel. 31146



ISTHMIAN LINE

(Isthmian Steamship Co. of N.Y.)

Direct Sailing To Atlantic Coast Ports via Panama in 33 Days

S.S. "CAPE SAN DIEGO"

Loading Hong Kong 3rd July
Sailing 4th July

for

NEW ORLEANS, PHILADELPHIA, NEW YORK & BOSTON

For further particulars apply—

GILMAN & CO., LTD.

Agents.

Tel. 31146

RUSSIANS CHANGING TUNE

Conciliatory Note To British GOC

BERLIN BLOCKADE 'NOT PERMANENT'

Berlin, June 29. The Soviet Military Governor in Germany, Marshal Vassily Sokolovsky, told the British Military Governor, General Sir Brian Robertson, tonight that the traffic restrictions imposed by Soviet Russia on Berlin were "not of a permanent nature."

Marshal Sokolovsky's statement was contained in a letter sent to the British Commander.

The text of the letter is not available, but it is reported to have stated that the limitations imposed by the Russians on motor traffic on the Berlin-Helmstedt road must be maintained to prevent the illegal import of the new Western Zone currency.

Marshal Sokolovsky was reported to have stated that he hoped the railway line connecting Berlin with the Western Zones would be repaired before food stocks in the German capital were exhausted.

Immediately after arriving back from his flying visit to Denmark, General Robertson conferred tonight with his American counterpart, General Lucius D. Clay, at United States headquarters.

This followed the news that General Clay had met Marshal Vassily Sokolovsky, last night. The British and American military chiefs were expected to confer with Mr. Averell Harriman, American Marshal of the American Army, and Mr. William Draper, American Under-Secretary for War.

"Grave Situation"

Earlier today at Hamburg, General Robertson said that the situation in Berlin was "grave for the whole world, using the word 'grave' in its meaning."

The ban on the river Elbe, imposed by the Soviet authorities today, covers inter-zonal traffic in both directions, including even Soviet zone shipping returning from the West.

A spokesman for the German Division Transport Administration said it also covers movement to and from Czechoslovakia along the Elbe.

ADN, the Soviet-licensed German news agency reported tonight that General Clay called on Marshal Sokolovsky last night to apologise for the Marshal's car being stopped for speeding by American military police on Saturday.

Other subjects were not discussed at the meeting, the agency stated.

Soviet Hint

Allied aircraft today flew hundreds of tons of food and other supplies into the three Western sectors of Berlin, cut off by land for nearly a week in the East-West "currency war."

Officials are hoping that yesterday's total of 350 tons would be surpassed.

A hint that the restrictions which General Robertson had called "an act of ruthless inhumanity" might be withdrawn.

drawn appeared in today's official Soviet newspaper, Taganich Rundschau.

The paper wrote: "If the American, British and French occupation authorities are really concerned about Berlin's population, all they have to do is to drop their separate currency measures in the city, and all those difficulties which have arisen as a result of their illegal action will be removed."

The British, French and American Military Governors will meet German officials tomorrow at 11 a.m. GMT at Frankfurt to discuss laying the groundwork for establishing a Federal West German Government.

This was announced tonight by General Clay's office after he had conferred with his British counterpart, General Sir Brian Robertson.

Previously there had been reports that the meeting might be delayed because of French hesitations.

MR. LIE DECIDES NOT TO ACT

Lake Success, June 29.

Trygve Lie, United Nations Secretary General, abandoned tonight any idea of putting the Berlin crisis before the Security Council at this time.

He decided not to act shortly after the United States informally suggested, in effect, that the United Nations should not yet intervene in the Berlin situation. France also shared this view but had not yet replied to feelers from Lie.

"I have been watching closely the situation in Berlin for some time and will continue to do so," Lie said in a statement read by a United Nations press officer. "At this time I do not plan any action under Article 99."

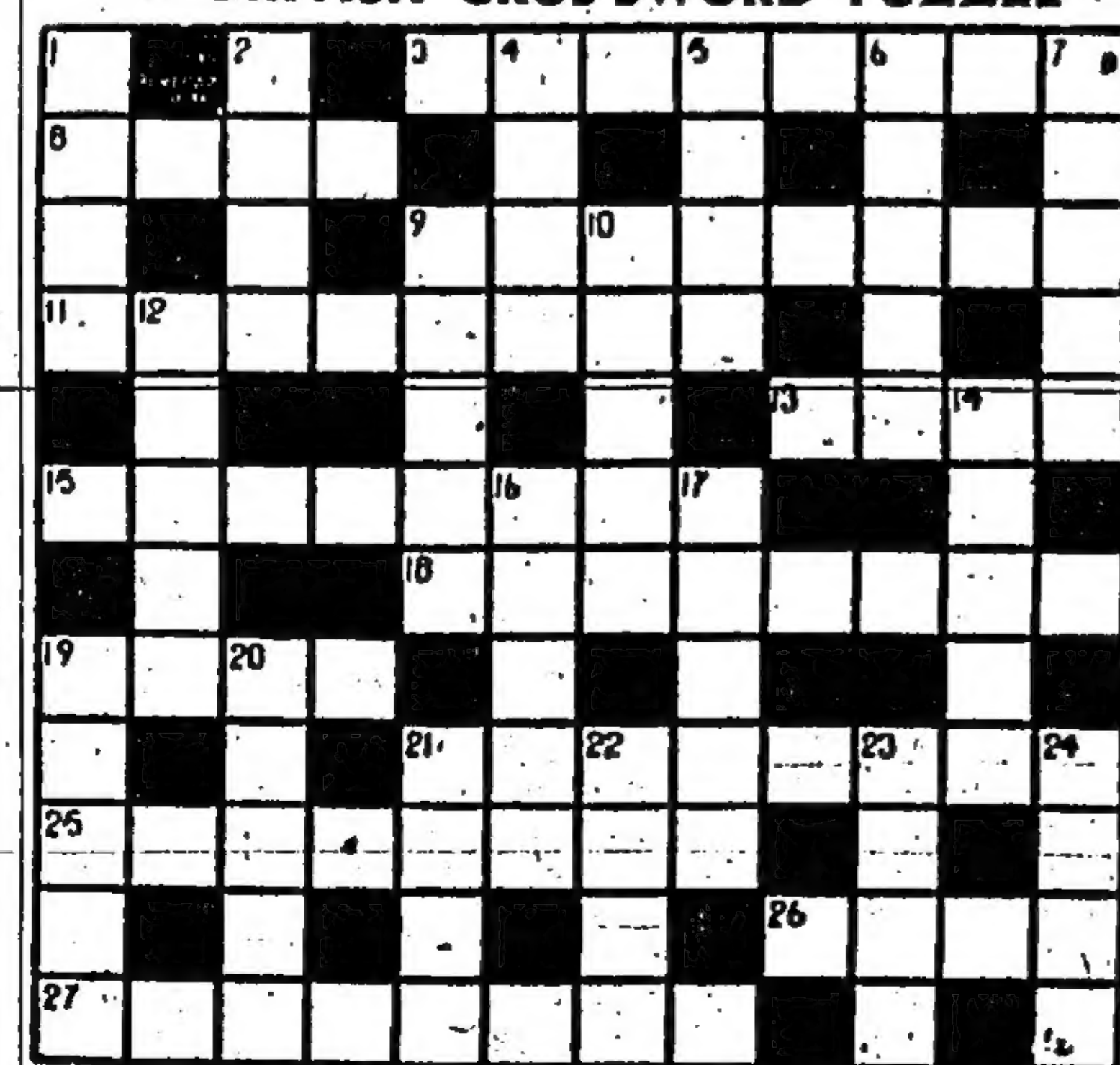
Shortly after Lie's statement was read a British spokesman said the London Government also did not react favourably.

The British were said to have told Lie they appreciated his anxiety to bring the Berlin situation to a peaceful solution. However, they were said to feel that this is not the time for the case in which Article 99 could apply.

The Russians delegates to the U.N. were not available for comment but persons familiar with Russian policy said that the Soviet could not be expected to favour bringing the issue into the Council at any time.

The Chinese delegation still awaited instructions from Nanking.—Associated Press.

A BRITISH CROSSWORD PUZZLE



Clues Across

- 3 Trade.
- 8 Harvest.
- 9 Hugo.
- 11 Iterated.
- 13 Object of worship.
- 15 Elegant.
- 18 Refrained from.
- 19 Stuff.
- 20 Innate.
- 23 Weakened.
- 25 Demagogue.
- 27 Hindlers.

Clues Down

- 1 Blemish.
- 2 Splendour.
- 4 Leave out.
- 6 Meadow.
- 8 Assessed.
- 7 Surpass.
- 9 Yawned.
- 10 Class.
- 12 Mistake.
- 14 Sea.
- 16 State of excitement.
- 17 Discoloured.
- 19 Twitter.
- 20 Sufficient.
- 21 Prevalent.
- 22 Despatched.
- 23 Eastern ruler.
- 24 Wee.

Yesterday's Crossword
Across—1 Banned, 4 Beret, 7 Singular, 8 Twang, 9 Strong, 11 Heretic, 13 Society, 15 Excess, 16 Violet, 19 Realised, 20 Taste, 21 Happily, 23 Dashed, 25 Dashed, 27 Dashed.

Down—1 Deals, 2 Negro, 3 De-

Millionaire On Trial

Manila, June 29.

The prosecution at the trial of the case against the Chinese millionaire, Tan Li-po, charged with illegal possession of firearms, scored a success when the court rejected a motion by the defence to dismiss the indictment for lack of evidence.

Tan is charged by the City Fiscal with illegally possessing gun parts of various types allegedly bought by the accused from the Bureau Property Commission.—Reuter.

lance about immediately implementing the London recommendations of the London six-Power conference on Germany.—Reuter and Associated Press.

Approach To Denmark

Copenhagen, June 29.

Denmark's Foreign Minister Gustav Hasmussen, tonight confirmed that the Berlin City Parliament has informally approached the Danish Military Mission in Berlin "in an effort to make the Danish Government intervene in the present German crisis."

Hasmussen told the Associated Press that the German move came after the City Parliament had made a similar approach to the Danish Military Mission in Berlin, which had rejected the appeal.—Associated Press.

Students Fight Police

Peiping, June 30.

Stones and bricks were used by both sides in a clash yesterday between students of the National Normal College and the police.

Eleven students and four policemen were injured. The clash developed after police threw a cordon around the College to prevent the intended departure for Nanking of about half of the institution's 2,000 students.

The would-be travellers wanted to petition the Ministry of Education to restore the college to its pre-war status of University.

Mu Yu Hsin, student in the School of Journalism at Yenching University, was allegedly detained by the police when he tried to enter the college to "comfort" the injured students and get a story.

Students of the college decided to appeal to Vice President Li Tsung-jen, now in Peiping, to help them get to Nanking. They also protested against the police action and demanded compensation.—Associated Press.

ADMISSION PRICES RAISED

Shanghai, June 30.

The Government today granted higher admission prices for movies a few hours after the foreign distributors had suspended the supply of films to theatres.

Eight American and one British distributor had notified the Social Affairs Bureau some time ago that unless it lifted its embargo on higher charges, they would stop supplying films to Shanghai theatres.

The Bureau had pegged movie prices for first-run theatres at CN\$300,000 (less than 10 US cents). The distributors had demanded a minimum of 60 cents.—Associated Press.

CALL-UP IN NORWAY

Oslo, June 29.

The Norwegian Commander-in-Chief announced today that a number of Norwegians are being called-up for mobilisation for 10 days to take part in exercises as part of the country's plan to increase Norwegian defence preparations.—Reuter.

STATES MARINE CORPORATION

(States Marine Lines)

S.S. "EDWARD LUCKENBACH"

DUE ABOUT 5th JULY

FROM

NEW YORK, PHILADELPHIA, BALTIMORE AND HAMPTON ROADS.

Agents

GOURLIE & CO. (H.K.) LTD.,

Union Building,

Telephone 31841.

H.K. & MACAO LINE

S.S. "CHEUNG HING"

S.S. "KWONG SAI"

HONG KONG DEPARTURE:

HONG KONG DEPARTURE:

5.00 P.M. DAILY

2.00 P.M. DAILY

MACAO DEPARTURE:

MACAO DEPARTURE:

10.30 A.M. DAILY

3.00 A.M. DAILY

Cheong Hing Hong.

Mow Sang Shipping Co.

51, Des Voeux Rd. W., 1st Fl.

8, Connaught Rd. W., 1st Fl.

Telephone: 23921

Telephone: 31608

Subject to alteration without notice.

For passage and Freight particulars please apply to above.

THE PACIFIC ORIENT EXPRESS LINE

LOADING FOR U.S. PACIFIC COAST:

m.v. "VINGNES"	Loading Hongkong	10th July
m.v. "VITO"	"	mid-Aug.
m.v. "NARRANDERA"	"	mid-Sept.
m.v. "VILJA"	"	mid-Oct.

For Freight and further particulars apply—

WALLEN & CO.

Agents.

Hongkong & Shanghai Bank Building.

Tels. 34177-9.

P&O B.I. E&A COMPANIES

PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL S.N. CO.

m.v. TREVEAN	due	5th July	from Shanghai, Japan.
	sails	9th July	for Singapore, Penang, Colombo, Aden, Port Said, Genoa, Marseilles, London, Antwerp, Rotterdam (Amsterdam).
m.v. TREVOSE	due	21st July	from Japan.
S.S. CANTON	due	2nd Aug.	from London, Bombay and Straits.
	sails	7th Aug.	for Straits, Bombay and London via Suez.
m.v. TREVETHOE	due	12th Aug.	from UK & Continent for Shanghai & Japan.
	sails	14th Aug.	
m.v. TREWELLARD	due	Mid-Aug.	from UK and Continent via Straits.
	sails	Mid-Aug.	to Shanghai.

BRITISH INDIA S.N. CO., LTD.

m.v. OZARDA	In port at A15	
	sails	2nd July
		for Singapore, Penang, Colombo & Bombay.
m.s. SIRDHANA	due	4th July
(Apar Line)		from Calcutta, Rangoon and Straits.
	sails	7th July
		to Amoy, Japan, & Shanghai.
m.s. SIRDHANA	due	10th July
(Apar Line)		from Japan, Shanghai & Amoy.
	sails	22nd July
		to Singapore, Penang, Rangoon & Calcutta.
m.v. "PUNDUA"	due	23rd July
	sails	25th July
		from Japan, Singapore, Penang and Bombay.
m.s. SANGOLA	due	25th July
(Apar Line)		from Calcutta, Rangoon and Straits.
	sails	28th July
		to Amoy, Shanghai & Japan.

EASTERN & AUSTRALIAN S.S. Co., Ltd.

m.s. NELLORE	due	10th July	from Shanghai and Japan.
	sails	9th Aug.	to Australia via Port.

For full particulars apply to:
MACKINNON, MACKENZIE & CO.
Telephone Nos. 27721-4.

WATERMAN

STEAMSHIP CORPORATION

MOBILE, ALA., U.S.A.

EXPRESS SERVICE TO NEW YORK via Panama.

m.s. "MAIDEN GREEK"	loading Hongkong	28th July
m.s. "LA SALLE"	"	mid-August

DIRECT for New York, Baltimore and Philadelphia, via Shanghai and Honolulu.

Limited Passenger accommodation

Tanks available for bulk oil cargoes.

For freight and further particulars apply—

WALLEN & COMPANY

Agents.

Hongkong & Shanghai Bank Bldg.

Tel. 34177-9

Chinese Freight Agents:

HIN FAT & CO. LTD.

Tel. 25553, 25823 & 25483.

IVARAN LINES FAR EAST SERVICE

Loading for New York via Panama:—

m.v. "IVARAN"	about July	1st
m.v. "STOCKHOLM"	"	July
m.v. "VESSEL"	"	15th
	"	August
	"	17th

For freight & further particulars apply—

WALLEN & CO.

Agents.

Hongkong & Shanghai Bank Building,

Tel. 34177-9

Chinese Freight Agents:

HIN FAT & CO. LTD.

Tel. 25483

MESSAGERIES MARITIMES



Sailing for SAIGON

M.V. "PETREL" 2nd July

Sailing for KOBE & SHANGHAI

S/S "CHR. SASS" on/or about 5th July

Sailing for MARSEILLES via SAIGON

S/S "CHR. SASS" on/or about 20th July

S.S. "CHAMPOLLION" on/or about 19th Aug.

Sailing for SHANGHAI

S.S. "CHAMPOLLION" on/or about 9th Aug.

For Passage and Freight Apply To:-

CIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES

Queen's Building. Tel. 26551 (three Lines).

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE

1, CONNAUGHT ROAD CENTRAL
Telephone: 30331-5 Private Exchange.

Agents: CHINA NAVIGATION CO., LTD.

SAILINGS TO

"YUNNAN" Foochow & Singapore, Batavia, Sourabaya

"FENGTIEN" Singapore, Batavia, Sourabaya

"HUNAN" Singapore, Batavia, Sourabaya

"FUKIEN" Singapore, Batavia, Sourabaya

"FOOCHOW" Singapore, Batavia, Sourabaya

"SIENKING" Singapore, Batavia, Sourabaya

"TSINAN" Singapore, Batavia, Sourabaya

"SZECHUEN" Singapore, Batavia, Sourabaya

* Sails from Custodian Wharf

ARRIVALS FROM

"FUKIEN" Macao, Shanghai, 1st July

"FENGTIEN" Macao, Shanghai, 1st July

"FOOCHOW" Singapore, 3 p.m. 1st July

"NEWCHANG" Singapore, 3 p.m. 2nd July

"TSINAN" Singapore, 3 p.m. 2nd July

"SINKIANG" Amoy, 3 p.m. 3rd July

"NANCIANG" Amoy, 3 p.m. 3rd July

"SIENKING" Amoy, 3 p.m. 3rd July

CANTON RIVER LINE

"FATSHAN" Docking, 10.00 a.m. 1st July

"WUSUEH" Arrives 7.30 p.m. 2nd July

Agents: BLUE FUNNEL LINE

U.K. SERVICE

Arrivals from

"ATREUS" U.K. via Straits, 4th July

"RIEXENOR" U.K. via Straits, 12th July

"TANTALUS" U.K. via Straits, 28th July

Sailings to

"PRIAM" Genoa, Marseilles, Havre, 17th July

NEW YORK SERVICE

Arrivals from

"PRIAM" U.K. via U.S.A. Manila and Shanghai, 14th July

"MENESTHEUS" U.K. via U.S.A. Manila and Shanghai, 14th July

Agents: Australian-Oriental Line, Ltd.

Sailings to

"BOOCHOW" Sydney & Melbourne, 6th July

All The Above Subject To Alteration Without Notice.

General Agents for SKYWAYS (FAR EAST) Ltd.

GENERAL Agents for AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL AIRWAYS

BOOKING Agents for: B.O.A.C., C.N.A.C., P.A.N., P.A.L., P.O.A.S. and NORTH WEST AIR LINES.

For Passage and Freight Particulars Apply To The Above.

MAERSK LINE

A. F. MOLLER, COPENHAGEN.

Moller Steamship Company Inc. New York

General Agents in U.S.A.

MONTHLY SAILINGS TO NEW YORK, PHILADELPHIA,

BALTIMORE, BOSTON VIA SAN FRANCISCO,

LOS ANGELES AND PANAMA

M.S. "LAURA MAERSK" July 4

M.S. "MARCHEN-MAERSK" Aug. 4

Special Tanks available for the carriage of oil in bulk

ARRIVALS FROM NEW YORK AND

OTHER U.S. PORTS

M.S. "TREIN MAERSK" August 5

M.S. "LEISE MAERSK" August 11

For Freight and Further Particulars please apply to:-

Agents JEBSEN & CO. Tel. Nos. 26551-3

Foster Building

AIR AND SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

AIRCRAFT MOVEMENTS

Arrivals

TODAY

CNAC ex-Shanghai 11.45 a.m.; Amoy via

via Canton 4.50 p.m.; Amoy via

Swatow 1.25 p.m.; Canton 4.20

p.m.; Amoy 6.10 p.m.

CATC ex-Shanghai 10 a.m.

H.K. AIRWAYS ex-Canton 10.55 a.m.

1.15 p.m.; 3.35 p.m.; 6.55 p.m.

BOAC ex-Singapore, Bangkok 8.30 p.m.

BRAATHENS ex-Oslo, Bangkok 4 p.m.

TOMORROW

CNAC ex-Shanghai 11.45 a.m.; Amoy

via Swatow 1.25 p.m.; Canton 4.20

p.m.; Amoy 6.10 p.m.

CATC ex-Shanghai 10 a.m.

CATHAY PACIFIC ex-Manila 1 p.m.;

ex-Singapore, Bangkok 8 p.m.

Macau 6.25 p.m.

H.K. AIRWAYS ex-Shanghai 8 p.m.

Canton 10.55 a.m., 1.15 p.m., 3.35

p.m., 6.55 p.m.

PAN-AMERICAN ex-San Francisco via

Honolulu, Wake, Tokyo, Amoy 12.30 p.m.

SATURDAY

CNAC ex-Shanghai 11.45 a.m.; Amoy

via Fuchow, Amoy, Swatow,

3.10 p.m.; Amoy via Swatow 1.15

p.m.; Canton 4.20 p.m.; Amoy 6.10

p.m.

CATC ex-Shanghai 10 a.m.

CATHAY PACIFIC ex-Manila 1 p.m.

ex-Singapore, Bangkok 8 p.m.

Macau 6.25 p.m.

H.K. AIRWAYS ex-Shanghai 10 a.m.

Canton 10.55 a.m., 1.15 p.m., 3.35

p.m., 6.55 p.m.

PAN-AMERICAN ex-San Francisco via

Honolulu, Wake, Tokyo, Amoy 12.30 p.m.

DEPARTURES

TODAY

CNAC for Shanghai 12.45 p.m.; Amoy

via Canton, Swatow, Amoy, Fuchow,

8.30 a.m.; Amoy via Swatow

8 a.m.; Canton 2.15 p.m.

CATC for Shanghai 10 a.m.

CATHAY PACIFIC for Manila 3.30

p.m.

H.K. AIRWAYS for Shanghai 10 a.m.

Canton 10.55 a.m., 1.15 p.m., 3.35

p.m., 6.55 p.m.

PAN-AMERICAN for San Francisco via

Honolulu, Wake, Tokyo, Amoy 12.30 p.m.

TOMORROW

CNAC for Shanghai 12.45 p.m.; Amoy

via Canton, Swatow, Amoy, Fuchow,

8.30 a.m.; Amoy via Swatow

8 a.m.; Canton 2.15 p.m.

CATC for Shanghai 10 a.m.

CATHAY PACIFIC for Manila 3.30

p.m.

H.K. AIRWAYS for Shanghai 10 a.m.

Canton 10.55 a.m., 1.15 p.m., 3.35

p.m., 6.55 p.m.

PAN-AMERICAN for San Francisco via

Honolulu, Wake, Tokyo, Amoy 12.30 p.m.

SATURDAY

CNAC for Shanghai 12.45 p.m.; Amoy

via Canton, Swatow, Amoy, Fuchow,

8.30 a.m.; Amoy via Swatow

8 a.m.; Canton 2.15 p.m.

CATC for Shanghai 10 a.m.

CATHAY PACIFIC for Manila 3.30

p.m.

H.K. AIRWAYS for Shanghai 10 a.m.

Canton 10.55 a.m., 1.15 p.m., 3.35

p.m., 6.55 p.m.

PAN-AMERICAN for San Francisco via

Honolulu, Wake, Tokyo, Amoy 12.30 p.m.

Shipping Arrivals

YESTERDAY

CANONBAR (Chung Mee), Panama, 3.55

Ym.

HAITIEN (China Mer.), Chinese, 4.01

Ym.

KUT SANG (Jardine), British, from Cal

cutta via Straits, 4.12

OZARDA (Mac. Mac.), British, from

Amoy, 4.12

SKAIDH (Wm. Hunt), Norwegian, 2.55

Ym.

TEMPER (Dowdell), Norwegian, 4.05

Ym.

TODAY

E-SANG (Jardine) from Shanghai and

Keelung.

FENGTIEN (H. & S.) from Shanghai

and Keelung.

FOOCHOW (H. & S.) from Singapore.

FUKIEN (H. & S.) from Macau.

HANG SANG (Jardine) from Sandakan.

MOUREUX (A.P.L.) from San

Francisco.

TOMORROW

ATREUS (H. & S.) U.K.

TRINAN (H. & S.) from Amoy and

Swatow.

WASHINGTON MAIL (Everett) from

U.S.A.

Shipping Departures

YESTERDAY

CHOW TAI TRAIL (Caltex) for S'hai.

OHIO BANG (H. & S.) for Fuchow.

HAI TIEN (C.M.S.N.) for Japan.

HAIYANG (Douglas) for Seattle.

HAILAND (De La Rama) for Atlantic

Coast.

HONG KONG TRANSPORT (Jardine)

Ym.

LIN SHEN (C.M.S.N.) for Shanghai.

NELORE (Mac. Mac.) for Shanghai.

PREZ. GRANT (A.P.L.) for Shanghai.

SUKK (H. & S.) for Swatow.

ST. MICHAEL (Mac. Mac.) for Haiphong.

TODAY

IRIS (Thorness) for Bangkok.

IRIS (Walkers) for New York.

MORELIA (E.A.C.) for Europe.

HAI TIEN (C.M.S.N.) for Japan.

VAN HEUTE (R.L.L.) for Shanghai.

TOMORROW

PETREL (Mac. Mac.) for Saigon.

PREZ. TAFT (A.P.L.) for San Francisco

via Kobe and Yokohama.

YUNNAN (H. & S.) for Japan Ports.

Vessels In Port

ADINDA (H. & S.) Talook Dh.

ALDAN (Companion T.C.) S.C.

AMANTHUS (Whelock), Flower Cove

ANNLOCK (Whelock), Flower Cove

BUSHWOOD (Mac. Mac.), Kin. Dh.

CANNONBAR (Chung Mee) Ym.

CLOVERLOCK (Wm. Hunt) Ym.

EMPE. PARADISE (W.P. Chum) Ym.

EMPE. TERN (W.P. Chum) Ym.

HAI CHIAO (C. Mer.) S.C.

HAI TAN (Douglas) Kow. Dh.

HALYDAN (Thorness) Talook Dh.

HUNAN (H. & S.) Talook Dh.

HUPEH (Jardine) Talook Dh.

KARHIK (R.L.L.) Talook Dh.

KUT SANG (Jardine) Talook Dh.

KUT SANG (Jardine) ex-Yokohama.

KUT SANG (Jardine) ex-Yokohama.

KUT SANG (Jardine) ex-Yokohama.

KUT SANG (Jardine) ex-Yokohama.

KUT SANG (Jardine) ex-Yokohama.

KUT SANG (Jardine) ex-Yokohama.

KUT SANG (Jardine) ex-Yokohama.

KUT SANG (Jardine) ex-Yokohama.

KUT SANG (Jardine) ex-Yokohama.

KUT SANG (Jardine) ex-Yokohama.

KUT SANG (Jardine) ex-Yokohama.

KUT SANG (Jardine) ex-Yokohama.

KUT SANG (Jardine) ex-Yokohama.

PRES. FILMORE (A.P.L.) ex-San

Francisco.

SWARTHMOORE VICTORY (U.S.L.) 14

from San Francisco

ROBEVILE (Bank Line) from

San Francisco.

STEEL DIRECTOR (Gillman) ex-

Pacific Coast.

STEEL DESIGNER (Gillman) ex-

Pacific Coast.

WASHINGTON MAIL (Everett) from

U.S.

AUSTRALIA

KAPIRISTAN (Jardine) from Dk.

Bass.

CANADA

LAKE SHAWNIGAN (Jardine) ex-

Canadian Ports.

CHINA

E-SANG (Jardine) ex-Shanghai and

Keelung.

FENGTIEN (H. & S.) ex-Shanghai

and Keelung.

FLYING CLIPPER (Pattison) ex-

Shanghai.

KINKIANG (H. & S.) ex-Shanghai.

TAK SANG (Jardine) ex-Shanghai.

TEGELBERG (R.L.L.) ex-Shanghai.

TRINAN (H. & S.) ex-Shanghai.

TRIVAN (Mac. Mac.) ex-Shanghai.

OZARDA (Mac. Mac.) ex-Shanghai.

EUROPE

ATREUS (H. & S.) ex-U.K. via Straits

2.

DENARES (Gillman) ex-U.K.

DENVERACKIE (Lorley) ex-Europe.

GLENARTNEY (Jardine) ex-U.K.

NAGARA (Gillman) ex-U.K.

PRIAM (H. & S.) ex-U.K.

RIEXENOR (H. & S.) ex-U.K.

RINGER (Thorness) ex-Europe.

TANTALUS (H. & S.) ex-Europe.

JULY

ATREUS (H. & S.) ex-U.K. via Straits

2.

DENARES (Gillman) ex-U.K.

DENVERACKIE (Lorley) ex-Europe.

GLENARTNEY (Jardine) ex-U.K.

NAGARA (Gillman) ex-U.K.

PRIAM (H. & S.) ex-U.K.

RIEXENOR (H. & S.) ex-U.K.

RINGER (Thorness) ex-Europe.

TANTALUS (H. & S.) ex-Europe.

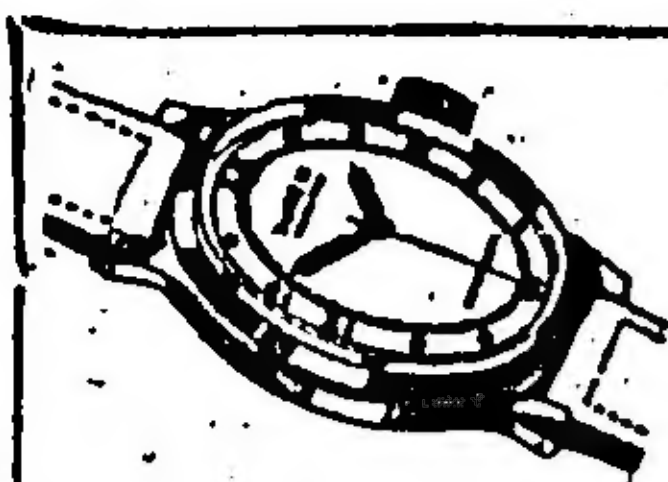
JULY

ATREUS (H. & S.) ex-U.K. via Straits

2.

DENARES (Gillman) ex-U.K.

DENVERACKIE (Lorley) ex



BUREN

THE PERFECT
SWISS WATER

CHINA MAIL

HONG KONG, THURSDAY, JULY 1, 1948.

Scientific Instruments —
Microscopes, Theodolites & Levels
ASIA PHOTO SUPPLY
10 Ice House St. Tel. 33188

SURREY FALTERS AGAINST AUSTRALIAN ATTACK

Cotton Leads Qualifiers

Edinburgh, June 20. Henry Cotton, the British Ryder Cup captain, with two rounds of 69 for an aggregate of 138, led the qualifiers for the British Open Golf championship proper which starts in the Muirfield Course, Edinburgh, tomorrow.

The holder, Fred Daly, and R. de Vries, of Argentina, shared second place each with an aggregate of 140, while they were followed by three British players, Alfred Pugh, A.S. Tibbles and J. Panton, together with the Brazilian amateur champion, M. Gonzalez, each with a total of 141.

Norman Van Nida, the Australian professional who started favourite for the event, only just managed to qualify with an aggregate of 151.

The qualifying score was 152 or under, and the 97 survivors from an original entry of 200 must begin all over again tomorrow with the first 18 holes. Another round will be played on Thursday and the leading 40 players will then play the final 36 holes on Friday-Reuters.

Hockey Clubs Willing

Great keenness has been shown by a number of clubs in the revival of the Hockey Association and so far five clubs have stated their willingness to participate in a league, if formed.

These clubs, Royal Navy, Royal Air Force, Khalsa, Cable and Wireless and Recreation, are all well established ones and played a great part in the hockey of the Colony in pre-war days.

It is certain that the Army and Police will also be willing to join.

As soon as something is known definitely about the grounds situation, a meeting of club representatives will be called.

London, June 30. Surrey, in their match against the Australian tourists here today, made 66 runs for three wickets at lunch time.

The Surrey batsmen were none too happy against the Australian attack and they found scoring chances so limited that only 66 runs came in the 90 minutes before lunch for the loss of three wickets.

Both Loxton and Hammece made the ball lift and after eight runs had been scored in 23 minutes, Laurie Fishlock, striking to a short-pitched ball from the fast-medium Loxton received a heavy blow on the back of the head.

He resumed batting but at the end of the following over was forced to leave the field. Squires, who took his place did not last long for without an addition, a rising delivery from Loxton struck him on the hand and flew into the hands of Bradman. Burton also fell to a catch making two wickets down for 14.

Four runs were added before Fletcher, who had played a sound innings was also taken in the leg trap in the last over before lunch.

SURREY 1st INNINGS

Fishlock, retired hurt	2
Squires, c. Bradman, b. Loxton	0
Fletcher, c. Hussey, b. Loxton	20
Toshack	20
Barton, c. Ring, b. Loxton	30
Parker, not out	30
McIntyre, not out	2
Extras	2
Total for three	68

—Reuters.

TEST SELECTORS LICK WOUNDS

London, June 29. England's Test selectors, licking their wounds after the second heavy Test defeat within a fortnight, must have viewed with mixed feelings the success against Yorkshire of George Pope, Derbyshire's all-rounder, the man they discarded.

Pope, whom they considered only good enough to play in one Test against South Africa last year, helped to put Derbyshire into a winning position with some grand bowling and batting, and only rain prevented them beating Yorkshire, for the first time, since 1905.

In a performance worthy of an England opening bowler, Pope, pitching his medium-paced deliveries on the leg stump, took six

wickets for 12 and four for 13. Between these two efforts was sandwiched a breezy knock of 73, including a six and 11 fours—the type of treatment the Australian bowling needs.

With the selectors almost certain to call their net wider in an attempt to strengthen the Test team, Dick Pollard, the Lancashire fast-medium bowler, had an opportune spell of six for 54 against Gloucestershire.

Pollard has been chosen by many critics in their teams for the third Test beginning on his home pitch at Old Trafford, Manchester, on July 8.

Class Struggle

A masterly fighting innings of 150 not out by Sydney Brown helped Middlesex, the county champions, to defeat Glamorgan, the present leaders, by two wickets. Brown dominated the day's play with an innings lasting more than five hours. It was the first time the two teams had met in Wales for 13 years, and a record crowd of 15,000 crammed into the Cardiff ground.

By the consent of the Middlesex captain the boundary was pulled in a further five yards for the first time to accommodate the overflow, but still about 4,000 were locked out.

Hever, a right-arm fast-medium bowler, who left Middlesex because of the lack of opportunities, took five for 39 in the Middlesex first innings.

Despite their defeat, Glamorgan, with 104 points, still have a lead of 20 points at the top of the table over Derbyshire.

Yorkshire are still third, with 68 points. Next come four clubs each with 64 points—Lancashire, Middlesex, Surrey and Warwickshire. At the bottom of the table, with 16 points each, are Sussex and Northamptonshire.

The only other notable feat of this series of matches, which was greatly interfered with by rain, was the return to form of the former Test batsman, Harold Gimblett, who became Somerset's first centurion this season.—Reuters.

The annual swimming sports of the King George V School will be held at the Y.M.C.A. Kowloon on Thursday July 8 at 2 p.m.

There will be events for Old Boys and Old Girls at approximately 3.45 p.m.

Printed and published for the proprietors, The Hong Kong Times, Limited, by WALTER JAMES KATY, at the Hong Kong Press.

WEEKEND BOWLING

K.C.C.

First Division Club de Recoil at (home) at 4 p.m.: A.E.P. Guest, S.A. Gray, T.A. Madar and F. Goodwin (skip). V.C. Labrum, F.E. Skinner, T. Lock and E.C. Flucher (skip).

J.M. Forrest, A.J. Kew, J. Oram and C.S. Rosset (skip).

2nd Division H.K.C.C. at (home) at 4 p.m.: H. Gittins, D. Hung, J. Tibble and A. Stevens (skip). J. Tang, L. Boner, R. Leigh and Geo. Lee (skip).

A.C. Trill, W.H. Colledge, R.S. Capell and C. Pope (skip).

Reveries: J. Tindall, S.B. Freeman and R. Rosset.

L.R.C.

1st Division v. Kowloon Bowling Club (Home): M.B. Hassan, A.J. Hassan, M.Y. Adal and A.K. Minu (skip). A.R. Kitchell, A.M. Wahab S. Yusuf and J. Hoosen (skip). M.I. Razack, K.M. Rumi, A.M. Minu and U.A. Rumi (skip).

2nd Division—Versus Club de Recoil at (Home): D.M.A. Razack, A.H. Seem, A.R. Razack and A.M. Rumi (skip). J. Kitchell, A.R.A. Rahman, A. Hassan and S.M. Rumi (skip).

S.A. Cassumboy, Muklan A. Wahab and A.K. Sufian (skip).

H.K.F.C.

2nd Team v. Club de Recoil at 4 p.m. at (Home): A. Coleman, F. Morgan, C. Strange and G. Willerton (skip). A. Bailey, H. Dowbiggin, C. Carr and K. Farrow (skip). L. Hamley, L. Strange, T. Walter and J. Dickson (skip).

The following have been selected to represent the Club in League Games for Saturday 3rd July 1948. Both games to start at 4 p.m. sharp.

1st Division v. Kowloon Dock Club (away): J.W. Leonard, L.C.E. Souza, A. E. Contes and B.W. Bradbury (skip). I.M. Omar, W. Hong Sling, A.M. Omar and J.S. Landolt (skip).

2nd Division v. H.K. Electric (away): A.A. Razack, M.A. Bapista, K.M. Omar and U.M. Omar (skip).

1st Division v. H.W. Randall (skip). A.H. Rumi, J.N. Lam, J.N. Wong and A.J. Coelho (skip).

J.H. Xavier, C.A. Coelho, G.A. Souza and M.J. Medina (skip). Reserves: G. Hong Choy and B.S. Chowla.

H.K.E.R.C.

Team v. Craigengower at (Home): E. Poulson, J.O. Stokoe, A.G. Gardner and R.C. Butler (skip). G.W.K. Crawford, F.H. Fell, W. Stonehouse and V. Bonch (skip).

J.F. Barron, P. Paul, T. Dyer and J.R. Bottomley (skip).

Team v. K.B.G.C. at Ming Yuen on Sunday: E. Poulson, J.O. Stokoe, A.G. Gardner and R.C. Butler (skip). G.W.K. Crawford, F.H. Fell, W. Stonehouse and V. Bonch (skip).

J.F. Barron, P. Paul, T. Dyer and J.R. Bottomley (skip).

The postponed Wappingshaw game at the Indian Recreation Club will be held on Sunday at 3.30 p.m.

The postponed Wappingshaw game at the Indian Recreation Club will be held on Sunday at 3.30 p.m.

The postponed Wappingshaw game at the Indian Recreation Club will be held on Sunday at 3.30 p.m.

The postponed Wappingshaw game at the Indian Recreation Club will be held on Sunday at 3.30 p.m.

The postponed Wappingshaw game at the Indian Recreation Club will be held on Sunday at 3.30 p.m.

The postponed Wappingshaw game at the Indian Recreation Club will be held on Sunday at 3.30 p.m.

The postponed Wappingshaw game at the Indian Recreation Club will be held on Sunday at 3.30 p.m.

The postponed Wappingshaw game at the Indian Recreation Club will be held on Sunday at 3.30 p.m.

The postponed Wappingshaw game at the Indian Recreation Club will be held on Sunday at 3.30 p.m.

The postponed Wappingshaw game at the Indian Recreation Club will be held on Sunday at 3.30 p.m.

The postponed Wappingshaw game at the Indian Recreation Club will be held on Sunday at 3.30 p.m.

The postponed Wappingshaw game at the Indian Recreation Club will be held on Sunday at 3.30 p.m.

The postponed Wappingshaw game at the Indian Recreation Club will be held on Sunday at 3.30 p.m.

The postponed Wappingshaw game at the Indian Recreation Club will be held on Sunday at 3.30 p.m.

WIMBLEDON

DORIS HART MAY AVENGE LAST YEAR'S DEFEAT

Wimbledon, June 29. Miss Doris Hart, of America, was at the top of her form in today's women's singles play-off in the Wimbledon Tennis when she beat the French champion, Madame Nelly Landry, 6-0, 6-2, to enter the semi-finals.

On today's form, Miss Hart may well avenge her last year's defeat in the final.

In the other quarter-final Mrs. Pat Todd, also of America, was too strong all round for Miss Jean Quertier, of Britain, winning by 6-2, 6-4.

Miss Quertier showed occasional flashes of brilliance but could not cope with the length and pace of the American.

In the men's doubles, the top-seeded pair of Bob Falkenburg and Frankie Parker, of America, entered the semi-finals where they oppose the Australians, John Bromwich and Frank Sedgman.

The American pair hurried the quarter-finals by beating Kukulovic, India, and Voliche, Czechoslovakia, 6-1, 6-2, 3-6, 4-0, while the Australians defeated Gianni Cucchi and Marcello del Bello, of Italy, 6-3, 6-1, 7-5.

Shirley Fry Injured

A mishap happened to Miss Shirley Fry, of America, in her singles game with Miss Louise Brough, also of America, when she fell in an attempt to intercept a powerful service. She had to be carried off the field, but a medical examination revealed that her ankle had not been seriously injured and she is expected to play in tomorrow's doubles.

In her singles, Miss Fry lost to her compatriot the first half of the first set 3-1, after which she was forced to retire.

Mr. Margaret Dupont, last year's American title winner, beat Mrs. Jean Bostock, of Britain, 7-5, 6-3.

Other matches:

Women's Doubles: Miss Louise Brough and Mrs. Margaret PuPont (USA) beat Mrs. Dupont and Mrs. Landry (France) 6-0, 6-1.

Mrs. H. Sedgman Rihbany and Miss Barbara Sefton (USA) beat Mrs. Betty Hilton (Britain) 4-6, 7-5, 6-2.

Men's Doubles:

Tom Brown and Gardner Mulloy (USA) beat M. Morea and A. Russell (Argentina) 9-7, 4-6, 3-6, 7-5, 6-2.

Bob Falkenburg and Frank Parker (USA) beat F. Kukulovic (India) and V. Voliche (Yugoslavia) 6-1, 6-2, 3-6, 6-0.

Mixed Doubles:

Frank Sedgman (Australia) and Miss Doris Hart (USA) beat T.G. McVeagh (Ireland) and Mrs. R.F. Chandler (Britain) 6-2, 6-3.

Eric Sturgess and Mrs. Sheila Summers (South Africa) beat Geoff Pash and Miss Joy Cannon (Britain) 6-0, 6-3.

Jaroslav Drobny (Czechoslovakia) and Mrs. Pat Todd (USA) won by a walk-over from Jacques van den Eynde and Mrs. Josane de Meulemeester (Belgium) who scratched.—Reuters and United Press.

Pope, who ran through the opposing batsmen on Saturday, was again in form today, and he brought his match analysis to ten wickets for 25 runs.

Against Sussex, the Leicestershire bowler, making light of the task of taking 10 wickets on the last day of a rain-curtailed match, were striving to victory with 15 of them secured when the wicket-keeper Frank Rist and the young bowler Kenneth Preston, thwarted them with an unbroken stand of 72, rattled up in half an hour.

Results

At Chesterfield: Match drawn, play restricted owing to rain. Yorkshire 44 and 37 for six. Derbyshire 277.

At Cardiff: Middlesex beat Glamorgan by two wickets. Glamorgan 273 and 130, Middlesex 135 and 276 for eight.

At Portsmouth: Hampshire beat Northamptonshire by six wickets. Northamptonshire 165 and 180, (Broderick 61), Hampshire 274 and 81 for four.

At Manchester: Match abandoned owing to rain. Lancashire 170 and 50 for two (Barnet two for 10), Gloucestershire 150 (Pollard six for 54).

At Loughborough: Match drawn. Leicestershire 478, Essex 185 (Sperry four for 44, Walsh four for 20) and 219 for nine (Rist not out 59, Jackson six for 55).

At Bath: Somerset beat Nottinghamshire by an innings and 28 runs. Nottinghamshire 115 and 108 (Harris 72, Hazell five for 41), Somerset 339 for eight declared.

At Birmingham: Match drawn. Cambridge University 259, War-

PRINCETON'S EASY WIN

Henley, June 30. An American crew from Princeton University scored an easy win in a third heat clash in the Thames Challenge Cup today beating the first and third Trinity Boat Club of Cambridge at the Henley Royal Regatta.

Rowing easily and smoothly the Americans were never extended over the one mile 550 yards course, clocking seven minutes 10 seconds.

Gray skies and a drizzle kept down attendance at the annual event for which a record number of entries had been received.

The big list of entries necessitated an all-time opening day of 47 races at five intervals between 10 a.m. and 6 p.m.

Events throughout the Regatta will be over a straight stretch of the Thames but at the conclusion work will commence to provide three separate rowing lanes for competitors in the Olympic Games.—United Press.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Chicago	R	H	E
Saint Louis	3	6	3
(Winning pitcher Johnny Schmitz)	1	4	0

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Cleveland	6	11	0
Detroit	3	6	0
(Winning pitcher Bob Feller)	1	4	0

Associated Press.

OPPONENT FOR MILLS

Southampton, June 29. The light-heavyweight champion, Gus Lemovich, today indicated that he would be glad to fight Joe Walcott in September as a step to determining the successor to Joe Louis.

Lemovich arrived aboard the Queen Mary for his title fight against Freddie Mills, of England on July 16 at White City Stadium.—United Press.

TENNIS LEAGUE

In the Second Division of the Lawn Tennis League yesterday, Kowloon Cricket Club beat Recreation "B" by 6 sets to 3.

A.W. White and D. Brown (KCC) lost to G.N. Gosano and T.E. Rodrigues 2-6, 6-3, 6-3.

Best B.D. Almada and J. Marques, 6-1, beat M. Gutierrez and P. Botelho, 6-3.

F.A. Broadbridge and T. Manley (KCC) lost to Gosano and Rodrigues, 0-6, beat Almada and Marques, 6-4, beat Gutierrez and Botelho, 6-1.

R.S. Capell and G.H. Rosset (KCC) lost to Gosano and Rodrigues, 2-6, beat Almada and Marques, 6-2, beat Gutierrez and Botelho, 6-2.

The game between SCAA "A" and SCAA "B" was postponed.

I.R.C. v. U.S.R.C.

At Sookunpo, yesterday, Indian Recreation Club beat United Services Recreation Club by 5½ sets to 3½ in the second Division of the Tennis League.

A.J. Hussain and A.H. Ghaffar (I.R.C.) beat R.W. McGrath and J.A. Fisher (U.S.R.C.) 6-3, 6-3.

Draw with A.H. Jones and J.A. Fisher 6-3.

Dawson Groves and J. Jenny (I.R.C.) beat J.A. Fisher and J.A. Fisher (U.S.R.C.) 6-3.

Draw with Dawson Groves and J. Jenny 6-3.

Draw with Rahman and S.H. Khan 6-3.

Draw with McGrath and Fisher 6-3.

Draw with Binn and Dawson Groves 6-3.

Draw with Hancock and Jenny 6-3.

C.R.C. "B" v. H.K.C.C.

At Causeway Bay, Chinese Recreation Club "B" beat Hong Kong University by 7½ sets to 2½ in the Second Division of the Tennis League.

C.S. Wong and K.K. Lee (C.R.C.) beat Allen and Ashby 6-1, 6-1.

Draw with Allen and Ashby 6-1.

Draw with Dr. H. Meyer and Arthy 6-1.

Draw with K.K. Lee and P.H. Chan (C.R.C.) 6-1.

Draw with Allen and Ashby 6-1.

Draw with Clifford and Cohead 6-1.

Draw with Meyer and Arthy 6-1.

Draw with Wong and K.K. Lee (C.R.C.) 6-1.

Draw with Allen and Ashby 6-1.

Draw with Clifford and Cohead 6-1.

Draw with Meyer and Arthy 6-1.

CRC "A" v. HKU

At Causeway Bay, Chinese Recreation Club "A" beat Hong Kong University by 7 sets to 2 in the Second Division of the Tennis League.

Lak Din-cheung and Weng Shu-wing (C.R.C.) beat T. Lo and D. Lo 6-3, 6-3.

Draw with F. Lam and C.H. Lo 6-3.

Draw with K. Ho and N. Lo 6-3.

Draw with Lam, Yeh-ying and Pans Oham (C.R.C.) 6-3.

Draw with Lo and Lo 6-3.

Draw with Lam and Lo 6-3.

Draw with Ho and Lo 6-3.

Draw with K. Ho and Weng Shu-wing (C.R.C.) 6-3.

Draw with Lo and Lo 6-3.

Draw with Lam and Lo 6-3.

Draw with Ho and Lo 6-3.

ANNOUNCING

OUR REGULAR HALF YEARLY SALE

AMAZING OFFERS
UNBELIEVABLE PRICE CUTS
BREATH-TAKING BARGAINS
now administering

THE K.O. TO ALL COMPETITION

Look these over:

GENUINE WEMBLEY TIES (1,000 Varieties)	\$ 3.90
HALLMARK SHIRTS	\$10.80
BEDFORD SHIRTS	\$21.80
IMPERIAL VERY COOL SHIRTS	\$24.80
ARROW SHIRT (White)	\$25.00
REX CIGARETTE CASES	\$15.50
ELGIN CIGARETTE CASES	\$21.50

Watch For Our Daily Bargain Listings

THE DRAGON SEED COMPANY
THE DRAGON LIGHT CO. LTD.

37 Queen's Road, C. Tel. 3401

GRAND OPENING

NOON
TO-DAY

VANSEN COMPANY

33 & 33A, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL
(MERGER OF VANGO AND JITSING COMPANIES)

萬成公司

Everything at Specially Reduced Prices
to Celebrate this Grand Event